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HICKMAN, FULTON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1909.

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Gov. A. E. Wilson, of Kentucky



who will introduce President Taft to an audience of 10,000 in Hickman on the 26th of this month

#### ADDITION TO BE OPENED.

gorge.

A complete line of concrete walks now connects the city with the nearest approach of this bridge. From the far side a similar walk will be laid which will have no break in connecting with the new place. These concrete walks will also be laid in and front of every lot included in the survey.

Mr. Walker has not skimped in the allowance for streets and alleys—all of ample dimensions and afford easy access to either front or rear of all lots.

Electric lights are also included in the list of improvements. The Hickman Ice & Coal Co. will erect a substantial line to the center of the addition—a line with abundant capacity for both street and residence lights. The Home Telephone Co. will be on hand to take care of the "first settler" in the matter of communication.

Probably the most important factor in the improvement line will be water. For this purpose water mains will be put in and the lines will pass in front of each lot. The main line will be 4 inch and the distributors 3 inch pipe. Water will, of course, be furnished by the city plant. These pipes, it will be observed, are large enough to accommodate fire-plugs.

While this deal bins "hung fire" for several months, its consumption is now assured; as sufficient lots have

been sold to warrant the venture.

Work will begin on the improvements next week.

The Vincennes Bridge Co., of Indiana, will have an expert here this week to take up the bridge proposition. The steel is now being milled. J. A. Moore, superintendent of the Mengel Box Co., one of the best fellows we ever knew, will have supervision of the concrete walk construction. While there are several thousand feet of walk to lay, Mr. Moore thinks the work will all be completed this month. To say that he looks after this work, is to say that it will be done right.

Cotton & Adams are making measurements relative to the big plumbing job, and it is needless to say that the water supply will be right up to snuff.

Mr. Walker is leaving nothing in doubt that will add to the convenience and attractiveness of his new addition.

It is probable that two or three

residences will be erected there this year.

And watch her grow.

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MILLINERY OPENING.

Smith & Amberg's millinery opening the latter part of the week was a brilliant affair and attracted a large number of out-of-town people as well as Hickmanites. The decorations and general display on this occasion prompted no end of compliments, which were well merited. Besides the stunning windows, filled with fashion's latest decree, the whole store was tastily arranged in keeping with the occasion. The millinery department, which is now situated in the large balcony recently built for the purpose, was a wilderness of pretty bonnets; and we feel our weakness of descriptive powers too keenly to attempt to tell you all that we saw.

John Wright and Sid Hamby have opened a pool room in the Burnett building, on Clinton street. MacReed will have charge of the business.

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LEASED PRICE HOUSE.

Holli Kirk has leased the Price

House, property of Mrs. I. D. Price,

of this city, and will continue the

business at the old stand.

Mr. Kirk and wife are thoroughly

competent to look after the best

business and sustain the reputation of this well known hostelry.

Mrs. Price will take a much needed rest.

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### ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR CASH IN ADVANCE.

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### LINKING THE BRITISH EMPIRE

Marconi Has Plan to Connect Important Points by Means of Wireless.

William Marconi is trying to get the British government interested in a scheme by which he would link the British empire around the globe, a London dispatch to the New York Times says. He would first establish communication between England and Australia by covering a distance of about 13,000 miles by 11 wireless stations. These sections he sets out as follows:

England, Malta, Cairo, Aden, Bombay, Colombo, Singapore, Perth, Adelaide, Sidney and Wellington, in New Zealand.

"Straching from this chain at Singapore," explained Mr. Marconi, "would be the link to China—in 6,000 miles surely between Singapore and Hongkong."

Mr. Marconi has mapped out two routes to South Africa, one leading from Aden to Mombasa, Durban and Cape Town, and the other from England to Port Elizabeth, Sierra Leone, St. Helena and Cape Town. Thus an alternate route to India could be secured, with Cape Town as a great central station.

He points out that the wireless communication with the western hemisphere is already made by stations at Clifden, Ireland and Glace Bay, Cape Breton, a distance of 2,500 miles.

"Also in my imperial chain," he added, "is a station at Montreal to communicate with Jamaica, 1,900 miles away, and also with British Guiana, 1,300 miles from Jamaica. And the British Guiana station would also offer a direct link with Port Elizabeth (southern Africa), 2,700 miles away."

### Excuse for the Papers.

Among a very wide-awake and influential contingent of newspapermen and newspapermen the philosophy prevails that whenever a man of large affairs, about whose doings there happens to be acute public interest, surrounds himself with mystery and denies to the press information for which it feels itself entitled they have a perfect right to "guess" and to speculate as much as they want to. There is a shade of excuse for that attitude. A big man rarely gets into the limelight except of his own free will and volition, and having taken that position he invests himself and his actions with a degree of public interest which he cannot consistently ignore. There has been lately a conspicuous example of the evils likely to follow a mistaken idea that a very important personage can surround himself with an atmosphere of secrecy and not have that attitude misconstrued and resented. Fortunately, in this case the mistake was recognized by the principal and corrected by him in spite of the obstinate objections of a coterie of ill-advised guardians of the sacred person.—New York Letter.

### The Hardest Working River.

The hardest working river, the one most thoroughly harnessed to the mills of labor in the United States, probably in the world, is the Blackstone. It is not a large river, either. Its drainage area is only about 453 square miles and in its power-producing section it is only 43 miles long; a very Tom Thumb of a river as rivers go in America. Yet the doughty little stream produces 23,000 horse power, 50 for every square mile of its drainage area. If you will figure out this amount of horse power in terms of coal you will find that the busy little stream represents a capitalization of about \$25,000,000. This is twice the developed horse power of any other important river. Almost a hundred mills, catching with their whirling turbines its water almost from the very source in the city of Worcester, Mass., line its banks and grow in size and importance till in Woonsocket and Pawtucket, R. I., you have some of the largest of their kind in the country.—Technical World Magazine.

### Fire in a Girl's Hat.

A fire on the roof-garden of the hat of a pretty girl traveler at the union station, Atlanta, Ga., the other afternoon culled out two fire companies, a hose cart, a score of willing amateur firemen, delayed a fast train, and destroyed about thirty dollars' worth of property. The young woman, on her way to New York, rushed into the station for something to eat. In paying her check she swung the hat too near the cigar-lighter. In an instant the orchard which adorned her hat was a mass of flames. A dark-skinned wailer turned on a fire alarm and every male guest tried to rescue the affair.

The train was held until the victim recovered from an attack of hysterics, when she graciously permitted it to proceed.

### Where the Trouble Lay.

"I'm having a lot of difficulty in raising money for this project."

"What seems to be the trouble?"

"I think the trouble is that the scheme is perfectly legitimate, and I have good security to offer."

## WHEAT JUMPS TO \$1.20

DAYS OF OLD HUTCH, CUDAHY, PARTRIDGE RECALLED.

Shock Came Out of Clear Sky—Corporation Was Cleanest Cut for Many Years.

Chicago, Ill.—The wheat "squeeze" which disturbed the eminence of speculative routine with a twenty advance in the September option on the Board of Trade here today lacked none of the features of former years, when "Old Hutch," Cudahy, Partridge and others were wont to explode bombshells under the trade. It was the cleanest cut of any corner in many years.

One long with five thousand bushels to his credit snatched his profit at \$1.10 and then watched what became of his sale. In the next thirty minutes it changed hands twenty-eight times on an advanced scale. The last man who secured it paid \$1.20 for it. Before it rested in his hands brokerage commissions alone along the various transfers aggregated \$350.

One of the most influential traders on the board waited until the top had been reached and then delivered the actual wheat at \$1.20—100,000 bushels of it. Little wheat came out until \$1.18 was reached. At this figure and above a neat profit was garnered. Deliveries amounting to 650,000 bushels going to scattered interests. It was necessary to extend the delivery period three times before the last account was squared.

### \$100,000,000 FOR DRAINAGE

Fifteen Million Acres in the Delta to Be Reclaimed.

Washington.—That during the next few years perhaps \$50,000,000 or \$100,000,000 will be spent for the drainage of the alluvial region of the lower Mississippi is the opinion of Arthur E. Morgan, supervising drainage engineer, who has submitted to his department a comprehensive report on the alluvial lands of the lower Mississippi valley and their drainage. The report shows that in the states of the lower Mississippi valley there are 10,000,000 to 15,000,000 acres of land awaiting drainage. The investigations of recent years have established the feasibility of this work, the state legislatures are providing for the necessary legal procedure, and a great public interest is awakened in the prospect for reclamation. The outlook is that during the next few years a vast area of exceedingly fertile land will be added to the nation's agricultural domain, that malaria in the alluvial region will pass away, as it has passed in some of the more northerly states where it was once prevalent, and that a prosperous rural people will occupy the entire alluvial lands of the lower Mississippi valley.

### FARMERS' ARE COMMENDED

Secretary Wilson Has Kind Words for Farmers' Unions.

Washington, D. C.—Regarding the recent good roads excursion of the representatives of the Farmers' Unions of Louisiana, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson said: "There is nothing like the practical demonstration. The scientist cannot theorize forever. He has to get down to the practical application of his theories. It is particularly true with regard to the farmer scientist. He may be scientific, but he has to be practical as well."

"The Farmers' Unions of the Southwest are among the best, if not the very best, agricultural organizations that this country has developed. The men at the head of the general organization of the Farmers' Union idea are among the most practical men in America."

### FLESH WORTH \$1,000 POUND

School Teacher Sues Principal for Her Thin Condition.

Pittsburg.—Valuing her flesh, rather than the flesh she did have, but had not now, at \$1,000 per pound, Miss Lulu Low, teacher, a Luxon school teacher of the fashionable suburb of Shadyside, entered court trying to collect the price of twenty-five lost pounds, \$25,000, from Prof. Earl W. Reed, principal of the borough school. Miss Lowstetter claims that Prof. Reed jilted her in a most shameful manner after she had agreed to marry him and had gotten her wedding trousseau ready. The claims of herself and attorneys in open court were that she had lost at least twenty-five pounds in flesh owing to worry over her being jilted, and that the wedding clothes would not even fit her now. She wants \$25,000 damages, saying that she thinks that price about right.

### Diaz Ships Outfit.

El Paso, Texas.—President Diaz has shipped his carriages, three of them, and his horses, to the border for use on the occasion of his meeting with President Taft. Silver from the Chapultepec castle and the head chef at the castle have also been sent here for the banquet which General Diaz will give Mr. Taft. It is believed that the chef once filled that position for King Alfonso.

Bales Ginned 2,564,000.

Memphis, Tenn.—There was issued from the office of the National Gimmers' Association, a report on the cotton crop condition as of Sept. 25, and the amount of cotton ginned to that date, which shows as follows: Reports indicate a condition of 60.2, and that there has been 2,564,000 bales ginned up to the 25th. While the condition report is low, it is not as low as the trade has expected, and as the ginning is rather heavy the market will probably decline to a point at which the spinners will buy very freely.

## HIS BIG NEPHEW

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Canada: "I'll Soon Be as Big as You, Uncle Sam."

## MILLIONS SEE PARADE FOUR STATES QUAKE

NEW YORK SHOWN ITS PAST HISTORY IN PANORAMA.

Many Nations Represented—Mayor McClellan and Herman Ridder March Afoot.

New York.—Through streets abloom with bunting and lined with the greatest crowds ever gathered in New York, 20,000 men and 54 floats paraded Tuesday before envys of 21 nations, participating in the Hudson-Fulton celebration.

From One Hundred and Tenth street along central park, west, Fifty-ninth street and down Fifth avenue to Washington Square in the lower part of the city, the route of the parade and distance of several miles, it is estimated that more than 2,000,000 people gathered—on the ground, roofs, towers, on poles, at windows and in grand stands erected for almost the entire length of the route.

Major George B. McClellan and Herman Ridder, vice-president of Hudson-Fulton celebration commission, headed the parade. They covered the entire distance afoot. There was no military show, no distinguished personages in vehicles, all except mounted platoons of police being afoot.

A number of patriotic floats were wildly cheered. Among them were "Pulling Down the Statue of George III," "Publishing of the Constitution," "Storming of Stony Point," "Capture of Andre" and "Washington Taking the Oath of Office."

It was before a distinguished gathering, seated in a court of honor on the grounds of the new public library, at Forty-second street and Fifth avenue, that the parades passed. Vice-President Sherman was flanked on either side by Admirals Le Lord and Seymour of the French and English squadrons, respectively. Gov. Hughes, Seth Low, Prince Kuni, of Japan, and the German grand Admiral Von Koester were seated nearby. Tammany, with a thousand stalwart members in frock coats and high hats, made a picturesque showing. Squads of school children, students from New York University, Columbia, City College and Rutgers College, members of Irish, Italian, French, Scotch, Swedish and other cosmopolitan societies followed, and behind them came others, seemingly without end.

WILLIAM MAY LEAVE CABINET

Secretary of Agriculture Has Broken Office Tenure Record.

Washington.—Mr. James Wilson, who has been secretary of agriculture since March 4, 1901, a longer period of service than any cabinet officer in history, is expected to step out on Jan. 1 next. Whom the president will name in his place is not made known, even it Mr. Taft has made a selection.

Reports have been frequent hitherto that Mr. Wilson was about to go. He and the secretary of the navy, Mr. Meyer, were the only holdovers from the Roosevelt administration. Mr. Wilson's greatest claim to retention was the popularity of his department with the farmers.

The bare suggestion of his retirement was sufficient to bring a protest from the West, but it is now understood that this portfolio will pass to other hands.

### Giant's Action Protested.

Chicago.—Protest against the appearance of Gen. Frederick Grant in the full uniform of his position in the army in the temperance parade recently was made Tuesday to Secretary of War Dickinson by W. B. Michaelis, of the United Societies for Local Self Government. In addition to the protest, Mr. Michaelis has asked it there is any departmental rule governing such appearance, and requests that the reply be in the form of an open letter.

Out of Job; Inherits Million.

Hot Springs, Ark.—D. J. Vent, formerly chief dispatcher of the National Railroad of Mexico and who is now out of a job, having resigned his position when the dispatchers on that railroad went out on a strike, has been notified that he is one of 10 heirs to a fortune of \$6,000,000. Through the death of his grandmother, who lived in Scotland, he has been named in her will as one of the heirs to her fortune of \$6,000,000. Mr. Vent's share is \$600,000.

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## 252 BODIES ARE FOUND

MANY STRIPPED OF CLOTHING AND ARE UNIDENTIFIED.

Relief Expedition Feels Over 800 People Who Were in Starving Condition.

New Orleans, La.—The total death roll from the hurricane of last Monday is now 252. And that represents only the known dead. Searches are being made by relief expeditions in the stretches of marshes and lowlands in Terre Bonne and LaFourche parishes will undoubtedly reveal more casualties.

A section gang working on the Louisville railroad found thirty-six bodies between Thibodaux and Chalmette, all of them being almost stripped of clothing, and with nothing to identify them.

The islands on the southeast coast of Louisiana and the lowlands nearby were visited, and while there was great destruction of boats and houses, there was no loss of life there.

A Cardova, who went on a relief expedition in the lower stretch of Bayou LaFourche, going as far south as Levee, at the mouth of the bayou, reports an awful condition existing there. He says they fed 500 people, who were in a starving condition, without bread and without clothing.

He also reports that at a point on the Terre Bonne side of Bayou LaFourche, near the mouth, seventeen members of a family were drowned in one house, and that the neighbors surviving had to burn the wrecked building and cremate the bodies to avoid disease.

He says that the drowned cattle, hogs and other animals are beginning to putrify now that the water has receded and that the atmosphere is very foul.

There are thousands refugees in Houma, who are being cared for. Hellela being sent from New Orleans to Houma and Congressmen thousand have appealed to the federal government to have Col. Foste, the local army commandant, detailed to take charge of the relief in that section.

## YELLOW PINE CASE SETTLED

Railroads Agree to Pay Percentage of Claims Proved.

Washington.—Another series of the so-called "yellow pine" reparation cases was settled Monday by the issuance of the approval of the interstate commerce commission to the terms of adjustment agreed upon by the counsel for the claimants and the railroads.

The cases were instituted from the Yellow Pine Association territory, including the states of Louisiana, Mississippi and Western Alabama. They involve, in the aggregate, approximately \$1,000,000. They have been settled on the basis of the payment by the railroad companies of 67 per cent of the provable claims of the shippers.

## PRESIDENT AS A PREACHER

"A Soft Answer Turneth Away Wrath" Is His Text.

Salt Lake City, Utah.—In the pulpit of the famous Mormon tabernacle in this city, where four years ago Theodore Roosevelt, then president, preached a long sermon on right living and the duties of good citizenship, President Taft faced an audience which he said inspired him to try to follow in the footsteps of his predecessor and deliver a preaching.

It was before a distinguished gathering, seated in a court of honor on the grounds of the new public library, at Forty-second street and Fifth avenue, that the great spring wheat states have made up their minds that they will not part with their grain at anything less than a dollar a bushel.

There is very little wheat standing in the shocks on the broad prairies of the Northwest, and the latest advices from that country say that threshing from the stalk will progress slowly unless prices show a further and pronounced hardening.

A great deal of the wheat threshed from the shock is still in the country or terminal elevators of the spring wheat states, but it is still the property of the grower.

## RAISIN WINE IS TAXABLE

Nothing Less Than One Dollar Per Bushel Goes.

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The president's sermon was an appeal for amity between the people—for attributing the best rather than the worst motives to the action of others when possible to do so and not to harbor hatred or animosity.

Officers Kill Planter.

Sylvania, Ga.—In a pistol duel at close range Clinton Overstreet, a deputy sheriff, shot and killed L. A. Bragg, a wealthy planter. Bragg fired first, but his aim was poor, and the officer's first shot dropped him. The officer held a warrant for Bragg's arrest. It was alleged that Bragg had assaulted a laborer on his place after an agent appointed by the courts had taken charge of a portion of his crop.

## EX-TENNESSEE MINISTER DEAD.

New York.—The Rev. Asa Blackburn, for the last fifteen years pastor of the Church of the Strangers, an undenominational church of this city, died of Bright's disease in the New York hospital. Dr. Blackburn was born in Greeneville, Tenn., and was educated in Southern colleges. A brother, Rev. George A. Blackburn, of Columbia, S. C., was the only relative in New York at the time of the death. Funeral services were held in the church of the Strangers.

## SIEGALL SPURS OFFER.

Trenton, Ga.—"It you will say that George Custer is making whisky I will turn you loose." Acting upon instructions from Judge Fife, of the superior court, this message was delivered to Charles Siegall, government stockkeeper and gauger, at the county jail, where he is being held for contempt of court for refusal to give the grand jury information regarding the Custer distillery. "I will never testify until I am directed to do so by the United States government," replied Siegall, and he went back to his cell in the jail.

A Waste of Money. Hub—Stockless and extravagant. When did I ever make a useless purchase? Wife—Why, there's that old iron you bought a year ago, we never used it once.

For Headache Try Hicks' Capsule N



Ever Hear of a

# Cut Price SALE

At This Time of Year? Right at the beginning of the season, just as new goods are coming in, when other stores expect and do get fancy profit, we are cutting the prices all over the store. But we have an object in view. We are working for a purpose. We want to get this stock down to the lowest possible point. And we think the best way to do it is to cut the prices and that we are doing. We ask you to come and look. See that we are doing just what we say we are. And when you do you will do like the hundreds of others who have come and looked, you will buy of us your Fall Goods. For you owe it to yourself, you owe it to your family to buy your Fall Goods as low as you can and you'll find the saving here no little bit.

We are constantly making new prices through the stock, and every week you'll find new items. Look over the items below carefully. Come and examine the goods, compare with prices elsewhere, and you'll find we are doing just as we say.

## ...Cutting the Prices Heavily on Seasonable Goods...

### Mens and Boys Clothes at Prices That Save You Many Good Dollars.

These Mens and Young Mens Suits were made to sell at \$12.50, \$15 and 16.50. Materials from which they are made is strictly first class. Strong and well made, they will give good and satisfactory wear. The pants from these suits are gone, leaving coats and vests \$3.50 only. To clean them up we offer them choice for

### A Money Saving Opportunity for Mothers In Knee Pant Suits.....

These garments are offered way under value. Not a suit in the lot but was made to sell for about double what we offer them for. All are strong and well made. Sizes run from 4 years up to 15. We offer you for

**\$1.00**, 2-piece Suits worth up to \$1.75.

**\$1.50**, Boys 2-piece Suits worth up to \$2.50.

**\$2.50**, For 2-piece Suits worth up to \$6.

### Men's and Boys' Pants At Money-Saving Prices...

Here you will find some 200 or 300 pairs Mens and Boys Pants that are the most remarkable bargains you have ever seen. Made of first class materials, strong and well made. We offer them at just about

### HALF PRICE

Lot No. 1. \$2 Pants for	<b>\$1.00</b>
Lot No. 2. \$3 Pants for	<b>\$1.50</b>
Lot No. 3. \$5 Pants for	<b>\$2.50</b>

### Peters Diamond Brand Shoes Also Go in the Sale at Cut Prices.....

We have thrown on our counters a big quantity of Peters Shoes, in mens, ladies and misses, which are offered at remarkably low prices. All first-class, stylish shoes, but at Cut Prices.

Mens Finest \$6 and \$5 Shoes cut to	<b>\$3.50</b>
Mens Fine 3.50 Shoes cut to	<b>2.75</b>
Ladies Finest 4.00 and 3.50 Shoes cut to	<b>2.98</b>
Ladies Fine 2.25 Shoes cut to	<b>1.98</b>
Misses 2.25 and 2.00 Shoes cut to	<b>1.48</b>

### Dress Goods Are Selling Fast At the Cut Prices.

But we've plenty for everybody. Such prices as these we are now making on seasonable, staple, all wool Dress Goods, are unheard of before. Doubtless that accounts for the big sale of them.

Remember that no better goods than these can be found anywhere, while the prices at other stores are fully double the prices we are making.

40c Wool Suitings now	<b>25c</b>
1.00 Black Fancy Weave, 44 inches	<b>49c</b>
60c all wool Serges, now	<b>49c</b>
75c Broadcloths	<b>49c</b>
50c Plaid Suitings	<b>35c</b>
35c Checks for	<b>25c</b>

### Linens, Towels, Crashes, Napkins, Table Cloths, Quilts, All at Cut Prices.....

We show an unusually good line of all these items, and have made some most interesting prices on the entire stock, which means a great money-saving opportunity for you. We can only mention a few items, but remember we have very many other equally as good.

1.00 white Table Linen, very wide	<b>85c</b>
85c Table Linens for	<b>75c</b>
35c white Table Linen	<b>29c</b>
35c Red Table Linen for	<b>25c</b>
50c Buff Table Linen for	<b>39c</b>
75c Table Napkins for	<b>59c</b>
2.50 Table Napkins, very large size	<b>1.75</b>
3.00 Table Napkins	<b>2.40</b>
Extra quality Bleached Turkish Towels	<b>10 and 25c</b>
2.00 White Counterpanes	<b>1.48</b>
1.25 White Counterpanes	<b>98c</b>

### Ladies Skirts and Underskirts at Remarkably Low Figures Will Interest You.

We show a big line of these items, in a good range of styles, and all colors. The cut prices on these are remarkable.

10.00 Ladies Skirts for	<b>6.98</b>
7.50 Ladies Skirts for	<b>4.98</b>
2.50 Heatherbloom Underskirts for	<b>1.98</b>
1.75 Satin Underskirts for	<b>1.25</b>

### These Prices on Staple Cotton Goods And Staple Notions

Pepperell 10-4 Brown Sheetings	<b>25c</b>
Pepperell 10-4 Bleach Sheetings	<b>30c</b>
Good Quality 10-4 Brown Sheetings	<b>3c</b>
Best Dress Calicoes	<b>9c</b>
Luzon and Cardew 36-inch Percales	<b>20c</b>
Best quality Table Oil Cloth	<b>5c</b>
Apron Gingham	<b>9c</b>
10c Dress Gingham	<b>9c</b>
10c Dress Flannelettes	<b>9c</b>
10c Outings	<b>4c</b>
Dress Outings	<b>10c</b>
15c Barettes	<b>10c</b>
17c Jet Pins	<b>10c</b>

Laces, Embroideries, Ribbons, White Goods, Underwear, Blankets and Comforts, All at Cut Prices.

**ELLISON BROS., Hickman.**

NOW LIVING  
in county will  
be that will print  
more than  
one paper in this  
of Kentucky

# THE HICKMAN COURIER.

WE ARE THE TEAM THAT PULLS THE COMMERCIAL WAGON UP THE HILL OF SUCCESS. THE COURIER HAS A SPANKIN' GOOD TEAM. GREESE THE AXLES OF YOUR WAGON, OLD MAN, AND LET'S HITCH UP.

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HICKMAN, FULTON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1909.

WHOLE NO. 22408  
ESTABLISHED IN THE YEAR 1860

## Take a Course in Clothes-Buying at the Baltzer & Dodds D. G. Co. This Week



If you want to learn all there is to know about Fall Clothes there are two ways open to you. First, you can buy a suit elsewhere and regret it afterwards. That's a hard lesson, isn't it? Or you can come to Baltzer & Dodds D. G. Co. and see all the desirable Fall styles and get absolute satisfaction out of anything you buy. That's more pleasant, isn't it? The Baltzer & Dodds D. G. Co. is showing Over Coats, Suits and Men's Furnishings in qualities that are irreproachable and in quantities that eclipse the showing of any other store in this section.

### HAWES HATS

Are not proved best because they have been offered for sale to three generations of Americans, but rather by the fact that three generations of Americans have continued to demand them as the highest type of style and durability.



### BALTZER & DODDS DRY GOODS COMPANY

INCORPORATED.

SORTS

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The Hickman Bank pushed out \$15,000 in cold coin Saturday, most of it pay rolls and cotton purchases—all went into commercial channels. The Farmers & Merchants Bank followed a close second, but we failed to learn the exact figures.

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S. D. Luten, wife and children, together with Dr. Joe Luten and wife, went to Union City, Saturday, to the Fair, and from there went to Fulton, where they remained over Sunday. Mrs. S. D. Luten was joined in Union City by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bendix, of Florence, Ala., who are now visiting her here.

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W. S. Long, of Union City, who is one of Obion county's most practical and successful market gardeners tells us that he this year raised two crops of corn on the same ground. The crop planted was the Silver Mine. He planted the first crop very early in March we believe. The corn had hardened by July 1, and he planted the land with the seed that had grown there this year, planted the second crop the first week in July. The second crop is about as good as the first and while not yet hard would do to feed to stock.—Troy News-Herald.

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You the Merchant, who don't advertise because you are so known, have you not often seen merchant come to town and in three years realize he was taking dollars where you were dimes? The new man who was able to do was an advertiser. In every instance the people of the county know familiar with his name, with his store and stock; you in meanwhile gradually faded from memory, and are now only a grown-up, you once.

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Printing business in Hickman only business of any kind that publishing stuff cheaper than 20 years ago, or ten years ago, for that. This notwithstanding the hours are shorter, wages and general expenses greater, one of course are from 40 per cent higher.



The Packard needs no brass band accompaniment. It wins its way on merit alone, and is content to do so. The verdict of those who wear this shoe is its most valuable advertising asset. Genuine worth, like truth, is a permanent quality.

Sold at \$3.50 \$4.00 \$5.00 in all styles  
M. A. PACKARD CO., makers - - Brockton, Mass.  
Sold by

Bradley & Parham

### A BIG COTTON DAY.

The cotton raisers came into their own Saturday.

Owing to the prevailing high prices every marketable ounce of the fleecy staple which could be found was placed on the market Saturday. Our local gins were literally swamped. The wagons began arriving early and it was a late hour in the afternoon before the line of those waiting to unload was broken.

Many farmers believing the price they would receive would be about \$4.35 (which is considered a good price) experienced a delightful shock when they learned they were to get \$4.65.

It was the plinters day to smile—and it was the kind that don't rub off. The price paid was the highest paid since the civil war, and the best ever paid in Hickman.

The J. F. & S. L. Dodds Co., received one load for which they paid about \$167.00. Their receipts for the day was 74 wagon loads, aggregating 56,720 pounds. They paid on an average of \$4.50, making a grand total of \$3,902.40. Besides cotton, they bought considerable corn.

The Farmers Gin & Grain Co., reports receipts at 55 wagon loads making 70,000 pounds, averaging \$4.55 a hundred. On this basis they paid out during the day \$3,185. They also bought several loads of corn.

In brief, the cotton gins paid out \$7,087.40 Saturday. This is only one day's business, and a few years ago cotton was an unknown quantity, so to speak, in this section, and the idea of raising cotton in the bottom land was almost hooted at.

Great is Fulton county.

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It is not necessary to wait for cut price sales this year. You can buy goods at lower prices right now at E. R. Ellison's Cash Store.

### JACOB'S CANDY

"Made Last Night"

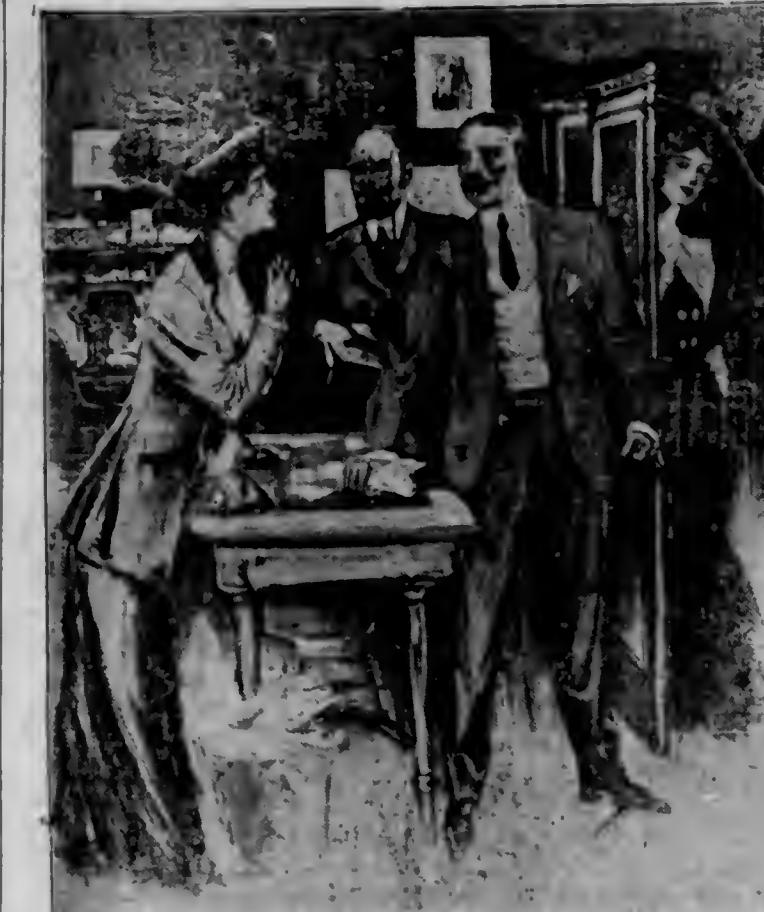
We have the best line of Fine Candy ever shown in Hickman and ask you to come in and take a look. There isn't a stale box in the lot—handed over from last season, but the very freshest obtainable, put up in beautiful boxes. Ranging in prices from

5c to \$5.00

Hickman Drug Company,  
Incorporated.

W. L. Thompson, author of the hymn, "Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling," and many other popular hymns, died in New York this week at the age of 62. His house was at East Liverpool, Ohio, and he wrote several text books on music.

There is no way of improving a place so much as by encouraging good merchants, good schools and good people to settle among you, and this can not be done unless you spend your money at home.



Arrangements made with Clay T. Vance by the management of the Lyric will give the residents of Hickman an opportunity of witnessing Lett L. Parker's new American drama, "The Finni Settlement," which will be the attraction next Wednesday, Oct. 13th. The play is said to be founded upon facts and the characters living, breathing counterparts of present day American men and women moving in a much-discussed social class. The presenting company, headed by Miss Marlon Sherwood, is an unusually strong one, and the engagement will be one of the real dramatic events of the season.

### Safety!

When you have your prescriptions filled at the Hickman Drug Company's store, you can rest assured that only the Purest and Best Drugs are employed in compounding. That when handle your prescription except skilled, competent pharmacists—it is a guaranteed of safety.

HICKMAN DRUG CO.  
Incorporated.

# FOR SALE!

## 320 Acres of Fine Bottom Land.

Well located, behind the levee. No better land in the bottom for cotton, corn and alfalfa. Cleared land this year will bring \$12.50 to \$15.00 an acre. Will make terms easy.

**Ellison Bros.**

### DOINGS AT DORENA.

What is wrong with Dorena? Burns Fields was in Hickman Saturday.

Mrs. Higgins went to Hickman last Friday.

Leslie Stoker of Hickman, was here Sunday.

Jack White had business in Charles-ton Monday.

Cassie Doss was shopping in Hick-man Saturday.

Sickness is reported no better in the community.

Jack Hinshaw moved to East Prairie last Thursday.

Farmers are making preparations for gathering corn.

Thurman Pickett is making Mis-souri his home again.

J. O. King is buying hogs for Jim Ringo, of Wolf Island.

A. H. Henderson, of Medley, had business here Saturday.

Lonnie Byassee had business in East Prairie last Thursday.

Bigger Hall and John Pickett had business in Charleston, Monday.

Sam Lee and wife, of Anniston, visited friends here first of the week.

Will Higgins and Guy Hall went to Medley Saturday night to attend a dance.

Mrs. Georgia Kirkendol, of Mythe-ville, is spending a few days with relatives.

John Stith, of Pinhook, passed here Saturday en route to Hickman with a load of fish.

Roy Stocking missed several days from school last week on account of an abscess on his leg.

A protracted meeting began at Locust Grove Monday night. Rev. Metheny is doing the preaching.

Claude Maddox has returned to his home in Charleston, after spending several weeks with his father, John Maddox.

Several young people from here attended a dance given at the home of Miss Ruth Goheen, at Bayouville, last Saturday night.

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C. L. Walker will start a force of men to laying concrete walks in the new "Southern Heights Addition" to-morrow. The material is now on the ground.

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Mrs. J. M. Reid spent Thursday in Union City with Mrs. Hardy Liggon.

## MUCH VIRTUE IN THAT "IF."



"And whatever you do, do that thing which is right. For in truth it all comes back to us all." —John D. Rock-feller.

I hold it true with him who sings On this clear harp In dulcet tones That getting out and doing things Is much the same as a making loans.

What though the principal be due?

Upon whatever day It fall Know that it will come back to you—

That is, if it come back at all.

It is pleasant thus to sit and think Without an effort of the brain, To have one's fan-cle chime and click.

Like little links upon a chain,

Four is the sum of two and two, Down hill will roll the roundest ball, And all things will come back to you—

That is, if they come back at all.

The stars are shining in the night, The rain is generally wet.

If we'd remember all we might There'd be some things we'd not forget.

The cloudless sky by day is blue.

To walk, a child must learn to crawl—

And all things will come back to you—

That is, if they come back at all.

A tree has leaves upon each bough,

The grass grows best upon the ground,

No horns are on the milky cow,

Deaf people cannot hear a sound—

But more than that I hold it true—

And prophet-like the word I bawl,

All things some day come back to you—

That is, if they come back at all.

Lots of children are scolded by men with the scent of cloves on their breath.

—A pessimist is a man who believes that there is deceit in the wagging of a dog's tail.

—Ezra Timms has an ambition to go down to fame as the best-dressed man in town. Ezra will wake up when he tries to think who held that job five years ago.

—After long and thoughtful considera-tion, I have arrived at the conclusion that money doesn't care who spends it.

—While many a rose is born to blush unseen, let us realize that even the dollar-a-piece ones wither unseen.

—When a man sneezes between sen-tences while telling you of a sure cure for cold in the head, you must fall back on your own judgment.

—Don't think your chronic invalid friend is better when he smiles. He

may have discovered a new symptom to talk about.

—It is a smart child that can recog-nize its own smartness after its pa-rents have told it a few times.

—Optimism is what leads us to refer glowingly to the "political career" of a man who has been mentioned for assessor.

## Heard On the Streets

J. A. Stubbs and wife are visiting relatives in Mound City.

Ernest and J. F. Fall and Lee Tar-ter were here from Fulton Tuesday.

Ross Cheshire, of Nashville, was the guest Sunday of Miss Mabel Wil-son.

Mrs. L. D. Price has returned from a visit to Union City relatives and friends.

Mrs. Alice Murphey, of Fulton, was the guest of Mrs. Allison Tyler first of the week.

Logan Duguid and wife and baby have returned from a visit to Union City and Fulton.

Miss Marie Strevard spent last week near Union City with relatives and attended the Fair.

Mrs. Henry Hawkins returned Sun-day from Dawson Springs. Her health is much improved.

Mrs. Julia Hagan and daughter, Ella, are visiting Mrs. Hagan's son, Silvester, at Mound City, Ill.

W. G. Dornan spent part of Saturday and Sunday in Dyersburg with his relatives, George Delvecchio and wife.

Miss Annie Cowgill left Saturday afternoon for Nashville where she will spend several weeks with friends and relatives.

Miss Sarah Cresap and Rev. John Dean, both of Clinton, Ky., were mar-ried at the Union Hotel in Fulton, Monday evening.

The colored Baptist Association of this district is in session in Hick-man this week. They have quite a large attendance.

It is not necessary to wait for cut price sales this year. You can buy goods at lower prices right now at E. R. Ellison's Cash Store.

H. C. Helm leaves tomorrow to at-tend a meeting of the Kentucky agents of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company, at Louisville.

J. T. Brady has sold to W. H. Walker 60 acres of land in the Ben-nett precinct in the southern part of the county for \$3000.—Clinton Ga-zette.

Rev. K. S. Nafeh, a student in the Baptist Seminary at Louisville, and Geo. Rashid, of New York, were the guests of Alex. and Sude Nafeh, Wed-nednesday.

The New Sunny South show boat well known in Hickman, sank during the big storm last week in the lower river. She sank in deep water and practically everything on board was lost.

Hiram Smedley, the defaulting county clerk McCracken county is af-fraid to trust a jury of that county to try his case and has asked for a change of venue. Hiram is an unlucky name you know.

The 4-months-old baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. John Conner, who reside on the Tyler place in the lower bottoms, died Wednesday night. The remains were laid to rest in New Hope cemetery today.

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### WOODLAND MILLS NEWS.

H. E. Curdin visited his parents Sunday.

J. E. Cox will visit his parents at the later part of the week.

H. L. Curdin won the blue ribbon on his one-year-old mule at the Union City Fair.

Miss Katerine Burrs will begin taking violin lessons at the Hall-Mo-dy Institute, at Martin, Saturday.

The little girl baby of Cato Davia, Jr., Frances Mettee, won the prize at the Union City Fair last week.

Woodland Mills High School was visited by J. M. Sirry, of Troy, this week. He made a very interesting talk which was appreciated by both pupils and teachers.

Edgar Brannon, manager of the tile factory, is having great success. They are turning out a very satis-factory grade of tiling and cannot near supply the demand.

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### CITIZENS TICKET.

After having made comment on other pages concerning the coming city election and noting that no candida-tate had announced up to this day, we learn now as we go to press that a citizens' ticket will be made up as follows:

Device—dove and olive branch. Can-didates: For Mayor, Tom Dil-ley, Sr. For Councilmen: B. G. Hale, R. M. Isler, C. G. Schleifer, C. P. Baltzer, O. H. Powell and C. P. Shumate.

# Just What You Need For Fall Wear

You need new Scarfs, new Stocks, new Collars, new Hosiery, new Waistings, new Dress Goods. We can supply you with the best, the newest and the most reasonably priced of all these lines.

## New Silks and Dress Goods

New Silks in all the leading shades in plain, fancy and striped. 19, 24, 27 and 36-inch . . . 50c to 1.2

We have on our shelves the seasons most popula-Woolen Dress Goods in all the newest shades, includin-plain and fancy Serges, Broadcloth, Striped Suitings, etc. ranging in price from . . . . 50c to \$1.50 a yard

## Underwear

Ladies', Misses', Children's, Boys' and Men's Fall Underwear in medium and extra heavy weights, in fleeced and heavy derby ribbed, a suit 25c to \$1.5

Comforts, large size in nice robe designs, top and lining, each \$1 to 2.5

Blankets in cotton and all wool, nice, new, fresh stock, 10-4 and 11-4, ranging in price from 60c to \$8.50 per pa

Bed Spreads, in white mar-sailes, medium and extra large size . . . \$1 to 2.5

## Wash Goods

Never before was there such an assortment of Wash Goods, including fan-striped Suitings, Ginghams; Percales and Mercerized Waistings in plain and stripe effects. Prices 10 to 50c a yard

We invite you to call and inspect these goods and see for yourself the we have just what we advertise.

# Fuqua, Helm & Co.

### The Fulton County Teachers' As-sociation meets at Woodlawn School

House near Fulton, on October 16. This association will convene in each of the four educational divisions of Fulton county, the dates of the meetings to be announced later.

The property purchased from Geo. H. Helm by Glen Bond and better known as the old Dr. Robinson place, in the west part of town, has been surveyed into town lots and streets are being graded this week. This tract con-tains about 10 acres. Mr. Bond ex-pects to open this place as a sub-urban addition to Hickman in a short time.

It remains to be buried at Antioch today at 11 o'clock.

We are unable to get further par-ticulars at this time.

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### PER CAPITA INCREASED.

Every child of school age in Fulton county receives \$4.22 this year for school purposes, which is an increase of 46 cents over the per capita last year.

The amount allowed the county out-turned over to Miss Dora Smith, it is in-crease in the taxes collected on dogs in Fulton county after paying for the sheep killed by dogs.

The amount allowed the county out-of the State School fund is \$17,293.84.

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### "JAYVILLE JUNCTION" COMING.

Two ladies of the Presbyterian church have made arrangements to present the very droll and comic en-tertainment "Jayville Junction" in Hickman, Friday night, 22nd at the

time.

This entertainment always has been successful where ever given. A large cast of local talent will take part, coached and rehearsed by Miss Anna Mario Anton, of Memphis, Tenn., who enjoys a most excellent reputation as a directress and is endorsed by the press of all the Southern States and in fact in all places where she has presented her productions.

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Edwin Fuqua is working in Union City for a few weeks.

### TELEPHONE DIRECTOR

Hickman Independent Telephone Company

5-112 Ballow, W. C. . . . .

5-3 Ballow, H. B. . . . .

5-4 Ballow, A. L. (Butch) . . . . .

3-4 Ballow, J. W. . . . .

38 Heitersworth & Frater . . . . .

29 Currin, P. B. Dr. . . . .

19 Cotton & Adams . . . . .

132 Dodds Co., J. F. & S. L. . . . .

35 Dodds Co., J. F. & S. L. . . . .

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3-3 Davis, A. W., Mgr. . . . .

23 Fulton County Court . . . . .

22 Farris, A.

Paris, Ky., Oct. 3, 1909.

Editor Courier.—

Thinking perhaps a letter from the Institute Field would interest your rural readers I shall try, amidst the bustle and commotion of a hotel lobby, to give a terse description of the Third district work. To use a descriptive term as used in these progressive days, we "fell down" at Vancoville, Lewis county, our first effort, in consequence of a Hurley Tobacco Society meeting, where an effort was being made to get the boys to "sign up" and get into the pool, which we afterwards learned they did. County Court was also in session, and a horse show and "swapping day" was a feature that is always irresistible to the average farmer. The Salvation Army was also in evidence in the evening, and in consequence the Farmers Institute was overshadowed by these attractive, Blue Lick Springs, where we held an Institute, was of special interest to us, if we failed to be of interest to the rural population from the fact that this is a popular resort in this and the central section of the State as the Blue Lick waters have undoubtedly curative qualities, and a bottling plant is in operation that is first class in its equipment, and we were informed that the Blue Lick water is shipped to many points outside of the state.

Here in pioneer days, was fought a decisive battle between the early settlers and the Indians. At Piqua, Robertson county, seven miles distant where we next lectured, we were informed that the Indians encamped after battle of Blue Lick, and a fine collection of Indian relics was shown us that were picked up at the site of the Indian encampment and handed down to the present generation by their ancestors; that this is feasible your readers will admit when we state that this point is seventeen miles from a railroad and that there are those living here who have never been out of the country.

Saturday, Oct. 2, we finished up the most successful meeting of the season this was at Berry, Harrison county. A floral and fancy needle work display was especially attractive and emphasized the fact that first the wives and daughters can vie as easily with their city sisters in the class of work. Fine harness and trapping stock exhibited emphasized the renown that Kentucky is accredited.

## FOR SALE!

Seven Choice West Hickman Lots  
At a bargain. We sell singly or as a whole.

ELLISON BROS.

### OFFICERS ELECTED.

The following were elected Stewards of the Methodist church, at the 4th Quarterly Conference held Monday evening:  
W. A. Johnston.  
J. A. Thompson.  
F. T. Randle.  
Ed Adams.  
A. O. Carters.  
J. E. Fugan.

For Sunday School Superintendent, F. T. Randle was re-elected for the First Methodist church and E. N. Davis for the West Hickman Chapel.

The Annual Conference will be held at Greenfield, on November 10.

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### NOTICE.

All parties holding claims against the estate of Mrs. Mittie King, deceased, are hereby notified to present same at once for allowance. For convenience, they may be left at the store of Naifeh Bros., in Hickman, or mail to the undersigned. E. L. King, Admr., Union City, Tenn., R. F. D. No. 7.

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In upholding a decision of the McCracken circuit court in a case in which a jury gave plaintiff judgment for \$1000 damages for injuries caused by an automobile, the court of appeals lays down the doctrine that automobiles are nearly as deadly and much more dangerous than street car or railroad trains.



Seen from "The Final Settlement" at the Lyric Wednesday night.

JOHN A. MCCLURE.  
Director 3rd Agricultural Dist.

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Conductor Ellis Martin, who was injured in a railroad wreck at Piqua, Tenn., on Sept. 15, is a ravaging maniac as a result of the injury to his head. It is thought that there is a blood clot on his brain and an operation may be resorted to to remove it.



## FALL

..AND..

## WINTER

## ...Clothing...

We are very anxious to show you our line whether it be either Men's, Boys' or Children's Suits.

There is a new feature in every garment and we can and will please you.

We guarantee our high grade clothing to be the latest creations in high class hand made garments and will hold its shape until worn out.

Be sure and let us prove to you why you should buy your suit here.

Mens Suits

\$7.50 to \$20.00

Boys Suits

\$2.00 to \$7.50

Childrens Suits

\$1.50 to \$5.00



Naifeh Bros. Dry Goods Co.

## Why

CAN YOU BUY

## BETTER GOODS AT LOWER PRICES AT

E. R. Ellison's

## ...CASH STORE...

### Because:

—this store gets the cash for every sale right now, thus saving the loss and waste necessary to the credit business. This saving is taken off the price to you, and you get much lower prices.

### And

—then low prices make fast sales, so that we have to get shipments of new goods every week; keeping our stock always new, fresh and up-to-date. At this store you always get

## The Newest and Best AT THE LOWEST PRICES

### NEWS FROM STATE LINE.

G. B. Threlkeld was in Union City, Monday.

W. B. Clark was in Union City, Tuesday.

Dr. D. C. Maddox is in Memphis this week.

Miss Lella Shaw is in Union City for a few days.

C. L. Hall and wife were in Union City, Wednesday.

W. J. Maddox visited his son, John, at Fulton last Saturday.

Mrs. Hattie Roper and children were in Union City Tuesday.

P. E. Shaw and L. D. Maddox will visit Memphis this week.

Miss Fannie Lander attended the Union City Fair last Saturday.

Mrs. Ed Townsend visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Shaw, last week.

J. M. Roper and family attended the Union City Fair last Friday.

Miss Mollie Shuck is spending a few days at Union City this week.

Miss Jeanie Matson has returned from a visit to Union City relatives.

Mrs. Swann Burrus and daughter, Miss Mary were in Hickman, Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas. Sowell has returned from a visit to her brother, at Mayfield.

D. H. Toombs and family are at Rosebud, Ark., the guests of relatives there.

Quite a number of people from here have been shopping in Union City this week.

James P. Maddox and wife have returned from New York and other eastern points.

T. A. Prather, wife and daughters, little Misses Mary and Alice attended the Fair at Union City last Saturday.

W. B. Clark and wife, Misses Bess Roper and Mary Burrus are attending the Baptist Association at Shiloh church near Arlington, this week.

Isaac Shuff has been shipping quite a lot of very fine apples of late. Mr. Shuff's apples are the finest in this section and have brought good prices on the markets.

Mrs. G. W. Whipple and daughter, Mrs. H. Whipple came near being seriously injured last Monday by their horse becoming unruly and turning the buggy over in a ditch. Luckily, they escaped without serious injury.

A darky known as Grant Powell, from Madrid, was adjudged insane in Judge Naylor's court this morning, and ordered sent to the asylum.

Geo. Helm, wife and daughter and Annie Helm Ellison returned Saturday from Texas, where they have been visiting relatives.

Dr. S. K. Davidson and A. O. Carters are expecting to receive their new auto this week.

J. J. C. Bondurant made a business trip to Union City yesterday.

### SIX-FOR-FIVE SALE.

One Plan That Benefits the Buyer and Increases the Merchant's Trade.

"I want to outline a successful sale plan that we have used and which is about the best one we have ever tried. It is not original with me. I think it was worked out and first used by a store in some town in Wisconsin. We outlined the plan through a shoe salesman. Should the originator of the idea read this article I wish to offer him my apologies for reproducing his plan." writes an Iowa merchant.

"It is called a 'Six-for-Five Sale.' The idea of the sale is to give six articles, or gards, for the price of five. The statement made is our bill is: 'No matter what you buy, dress goods, shoes, furnishing goods, notions, calliope, gingham, outlay flannels, hats, gloves, ribbons, handkerchiefs, hose, dishes, canned fruits, canned vegetables, glassware, or any other goods that we carry in stock (with the exception of goods on which we are already making a special low price, and the list of specials advertised elsewhere in this ad) you only pay for five, but you get six.'

"In order to make the sale still more effective we selected a few well-known articles which we marked very low, and then excluded them from the regular 'six-for-five' list. Of course, if it is desired to move such lines as cloaks and clothing, of which you could hardly expect to sell five to one family, they can be excepted from the 'six-for-five' list and a price be made on them.

"When we sold five pairs of shoes, or of any other line, we would take the average price of the five and allow this amount on the sixth pair.

"This sale has many strong points. In the first place, it is based on the principle that nothing will have quite the influence in getting people to leave their money with you as that of giving them something for nothing. It is the extra yard or pound or article that talks.

"In addition to all these points, it is a plan that can be used equally well for almost any occasion, and at any time of the year, and one which will, I think, grow old, if it be made a regular annual event.

"That this is a successful sale plan was shown by the fact that when we were running it our competitor put on a sale and got out hills in which he called attention to the fact that the prices he was making were lower than our 'six-for-five' prices, and still we got the crowds. It was but natural, however, that we should, because people are always attracted by something free."

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### LEVEE MEETING NOTICE.

All persons interested in the construction of a levee around West Hickman, are hereby notified to attend a meeting at the Opera House, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. This meeting is called for the purpose of discussing ways and means for proceeding with this work.

If you are a property owner in West Hickman, an interested citizen or merchant, don't fail to be present. It means much to Hickman to accomplish this work, and every interested man can well afford to neglect his business long enough to attend the meeting. COME WITHOUT FAIL.

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E. H. Bassett, of Hopkinsville, who saw service in the militia against the night riders, and bad charge of the soldiers stationed at Hickman. The services were held Tuesday afternoon by Rev. J. W. Waters, of this city, and interment at Pleasant Hill.

### SOME COURT NEWS.

#### Real Estate:

Addie E. Nolen to Smoot Harris, lots in Fulton, \$200.

W. H. Cruse to R. W. Stallings, land, \$1700.

R. W. Stallings to T. E. Williamson, land, \$2000.

S. D. Luten to Henry Clay, lots in East Hickman, \$650.

L. D. Nichols to W. C. Latta, lots in Crutchfield, \$550.

W. R. Blinford to J. H. House, 40 acres land, \$1550.

Elks Elks to C. T. Rutter, lot in West Hickman, \$700.

L. H. Ingram to J. J. C. Bondurant, 46 acres land, \$600.45.

J. G. Allen to J. W. and Clarence Williams, 27 acres land, \$800.

#### Fiscal Court.

Fiscal Court convened at the Court House in Hickman for the regular October term, Judge W. A. Naylor presiding.

The following magistrates were present: R. A. Browder, G. W. Whipple and W. T. Shanklin.

Claims against the county were allowed, including assignees claims and road claims.

Claims amounting to \$63 were allowed for sheep killed by dogs in the county since the April term. These claims are paid out of the dog tax, the balance of which goes into the school fund.

J. W. Morris, special commissioner, filed a settlement with J. T. Seat, which was ordered to lay over thirty days for exceptions.

The salary of the County Superintendent of Schools was increased from 17c to 20c a pupil.

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### RUSH CREEK ITEMS.

Mr. Walter Croatic and family visited the family of Mr. Oscar Turner, of Harmony, Sunday.

Everybody is busy gathering corn and ploughing for wheat. Some have finished while others are beginning to sow. Corn is selling \$2.75 per barrel at Cayce. It has been fine weather for harvesting the corn crop.

It is reported that Rob Roper will make a visit to his old home soon. It has been two years since Rob and his interesting family left for California and his many friends and relatives will give him a cordial welcome.

Price Henry has a lovely house in course of erection. We will be called upon before long to give up our near neighbor, though time and distance can never sever our lasting friendship. The house is on the old Henry place not far from Mr. Israel Clark.

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### NOTICE TO PUBLIC.

This is to notify the public that hereafter I shall not be responsible for any debts or other obligations that may be contracted by my son, George Reeves, who is a major. E. E. Reeves Hickman, Ky.

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### CALLED HOME.

Mrs. Nattie Lee Bowen, wife of Emory Bowen, age 23 years, died at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lander Edwards, near this city, Oct. 5th, of consumption.

Deceased and her husband resided near Jordan until a short time ago, when the unfortunate lady returned to the home of her childhood to spend the few remaining days of life. She is survived by her husband and two children; also her mother, six sisters—Mrs. J. P. Leggate, Mrs. Bettie Griffey, Miss Elma, Hazel, Pauline and Daisy—and two brothers—Dave and Arvin. She was born and reared in the Brownsville neighborhood, where she was loved by all who knew her. Early in life she became a member of the Methodist church, living a consistent Christian life.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday by Rev. J. W. Waters; burial at city cemetery.

The relatives and friends have the sympathy of their many friends.

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Miss Irene Faria left Monday morning for St. Louis where she will visit relatives for a month, and attend the Veiled Prophets and Centennial. After her visit there, she will spend several weeks in Paducah with Mrs. Roy McKinney.

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Joseph Dacus, age 7, died at the home of his son near Water Valley, Monday, of consumption. He was the father of R. L. Dacus, of Fulton, and two other sons. The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon by Rev. J. W. Waters, of this city, and interment at Pleasant Hill.

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NOTICE: The Standard Oil Co. will hereafter deliver coal oil and gasoline on Monday, Wednesday and Friday only. Phone 51.—Mose Burkett, Agent.



# \$21.00 SPOT CASH



Reservoir \$4 Extra

## THEY WONT LAST LONG AT THESE PRICES !

Hickman Hardware Co. Inc.

### MANAGE WHITE SOX.

We clip the following from the *Other Journal* relative to Joe Comiskey, well known in this city, who engaged in a squabble about the management of the Washington base ball team.

B. Johnson, dictator of organization, and Charles A. Comiskey, gray celluloid matter of the American League, are not friends any more.

Friendship for sake of the game, which has existed for almost a year, was wrecked when Comiskey discovered that Johnson wanted to put Joe Cantillon out of the bad business. Johnson demands of the Washington club that Cantillon be retired, and wrote over his signature a request for the removal of Cantillon.

Comiskey, who has been Cantillon's friend for years, and who has been Cantillon through all the ups and downs of the race, refused to quit his friend to be sacrificed to Johnson, and the pseudo-friendship which has existed between the president of the American League and the president of the White Sox suddenly ended.

Those who were present declare

that Comiskey lied his record for us, and stated clearly to Johnson that under no circumstances would he permit Johnson to chase Cantillon out of the baseball business, for he was honored before Johnson ever got in, and further, he made statement, which was as follows:

"Cantillon will manage my ball team next season—and you can't put him out of it. He delivered players to this league when we had to have them, he went over and got uniforms for us, he has done more good for this league than you ever did—and you can't double-cross him, for he is a friend of mine."

You knocked Carroll and tried to make the public think him a common and a rascally gambler, and you're afraid to call him to account for dishonest methods of business in stealing the signals of opposing clubs.

"You can't throw my friends. Comiskey is going to be my manager next year. I'll stick with him, and you can't put him out of it."

The renewal of the row between Comiskey and Johnson came near the end of a day and excessive friendliness—Tuesday when toward the final.

Comiskey learned that Johnson had been one of the influences that caused the Washington club to turn against Cantillon. Comiskey had stood for almost anything except to have his friends double-crossed, and it aroused his fire to think that Johnson had turned Cantillon.

The result was the premature announcement on Comiskey's part that Cantillon will manage the White Sox next season. Whether Comiskey had ridden upon Cantillon in advance is not known, but it is practically certain that Cantillon will be manager.

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### MARRIAGE LICENSE.

The following were issued in Ohio county last week:

James W. Trent and Sallie Payne Davis.

Claud Dixon and Jessie Freeman.

Herbert Dahnke and Miss Lara Oliver.

Edgar H. Purdy and Minnie Wright.

John Italley and Miss Ruth Wilson.

J. R. Robertson and Lavinia Cloyes.

Clayton Rogers and Pearl Garner.

Herbert Blythe and Myrtle Cochran.

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The following is a very truthful

remark: "The man who grows up in his native town is regarded as a boy by his elders until he is well started down the deccly of life that ends in a hole. The stranger who comes into a place is more often pushed to the front than the young man who has grown up with the town. This is the reason why so many young men become dissatisfied with their home surroundings and leave their lot in other quarters."

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Louis Foy, a young farmer of Fulton, raised a sunflower 40 inches in circumference and 14 inches in diameter at the widest point.

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## The Round Table

Read the Courier.

Schmidt, the Tailor.

Icon show Friday night.

Ferd Itendes was in Memphis on business last week.

Mrs. W. A. Johnston is visiting relatives in Bardwell, Ky.

Mrs. Nannie Crawford, of Dorena, was here Saturday shopping.

Mrs. Eugene Naylor and children returned last week from Jackson.

WANTED: A strictly first class Jersey Cow, fresh. L. P. Ellison.

Cypress Shingles \$1.00 a thousand—Yates & Kirk Shingle Co., Hickman, Ky.

Dr. Joe Latten and wife, of Fulton, have been visiting S. D. Latten and family.

Letter have patches on your pants, than a lot of unpaid bills and threatening creditors.

The newest and best are sold at all times at E. R. Ellison's Cash Store for lower prices.

Mississippi county teachers' association will be held at Charleston, November 18, 19 and 20.

Private Robt. Tyler Chapter, U. D. C., will meet Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 12, with Mrs. T. A. Lefford.

Best Clear Heart Cypress Shingles \$3.50 a thousand—Yates & Kirk Shingle Co., Hickman, Ky.

See our line of Fall and Winter samples—the largest line we have ever had.—Schmidt, the Tailor.

Where did you get that new suit? Why, that's my last winter's suit—Schmidt, the Tailor, cleaned it up.

A negro woman died at Fulton Sunday, for whom a special coffin had to be made. She weighed 412 pounds.

Jas. Goodine, of near McConnell, died at his home Saturday night, following a long illness of consumption.

H. L. Amberg is in St. Louis this week on business and attending the big Centennial celebration. He left Monday.

Miss Lida Carroll, of Kenton, Tenn., and Dr. H. A. Freeman, a prominent dentist at Fulton, were married at the home of the bride, Tuesday.

Humming bird is selling at \$30 per pound. We are pleased to learn at last that those long-haired musical fanatics are worth something.

The man who laughs so loudly at the rural visitor for trying to mail a letter in the fire-alarm box, doubtless thinks you get honey by milking the bees.

W. M. Cason, the cigar maker, who thought seriously of leaving Hickman, has decided to remain in the best town on the map. He may also open a retail cigar store here.

FOR SALE: The Mrs. Little King farm of 192 acres, 2½ miles east of Hickman. Well improved and a desirable place. For terms, write E. L. King, Union City, Tenn., Route 7.

At last the beautiful bronze fountain, a gift from Gen. H. A. Tyler and Col. H. Itchanan to the citizens of Hickman, has been erected. It is certainly a beauty. Later we will print a picture of it.

Dr. H. E. Prather and family have returned to Hickman to reside after spending two years in Louisville. The Courier joins their many friends in extending them a hearty welcome to the "old stomping ground."

An Indian boy at Hampton wrote the following in a composition on Patrick Henry: "Patrick Henry was not a very bright boy. He had blue eyes and light hair. He got married and then said, 'Give me liberty or give me death!'"—Ladies Home Journal.

On August 16th a new Missouri law became effective, making cruelty to animals a graded felony, punishable by a term in jail or the penitentiary, at the option of the judge or jury. This law will be warmly endorsed by lovers of horses, who have protested long in vain against cruelty by brutal drivers. We needed this Missouri law in Hickman Saturday.

We have yet to see any man or boy who has been the least bit disappointed with the clothes made for him through Strauss Bros., Master Tailors, Chicago. On the contrary they are always delighted with the service, the style, the fit, the quality and the price. All the newest and best in woolen samples now being shown at E. R. Ellison's Cash Store. Come and look.

### OUR POSITION.

It is said that there is going to be some gum-shoe politicks in the coming election. That the storm is gathering low on the horizon, and various forces are quietly organizing and throwing up their bulwarks of political intrigue. And that about the last week in the month a grand charge will be made which will make the daring rush of the Scotch Greys at

would do honor to the sonata of Rome. But whatever may be the texture of the board in this or that platform, which inspires this or that clan, our position, plainly stated is to support the man or men who are in favor of progress.

Probably the greatest issue of this little campaign is the stock law. We endorse the stock law. We have no scruples in the matter of extreme dentism, but we do draw the line on having cowtold walks, and making public pastures of private yards. This may be the wrong way to look at it, but it is our opinion, nevertheless.

We hope the incoming administration will favor the graveling of the levee road in West Hickman, and push the building of concrete walks all over town; that they have plenty of backbone to back up their ideas of public welfare.

The best interests of the City of Hickman, as we see them, is our platform. We are under obligations to no man or set of men—more than that obligation which every man owes to his neighbor.

From a personal interest point of view (and this view is sometimes entirely too popular), the roguish hovine does not disturb our yard or slumbers; if she does, we can shoo her one on the porter-house and she hiketh hence; but from the public point of view, we believe all well regulated cities and towns keep cattle off the streets. Even the "milk cow provision" is oftentimes imposed upon. Under the old regime, classed as milk cows, a half dozen bull yearlings browsed with impunity almost in the stores on Clinton street. This did not happen on some afternoon, but the whole year round.

So, as far as the cattle platform is concerned, we are prohibitionists—others are justly entitled to be "state-widens" if they believe that way.

The present Board has fought a good fight. If they had never done anything else, they have a splendid monument to their remembrance in the way of concrete walks. But these gentlemen, with one exception, we understand, will not ask to be re-elected, and a new set of men must take the reins of city government in a short time.

We have not bothered ourselves with trying to find out what men are mentioned on the different slates. There are good, capable men in every section of the town, and we hold them all in high esteem whether they represent our views or some other element. Our motto is the greatest good to the greatest number of people, and we shall endeavor to support the man we think comes nearest filling this in the largest measure, regardless of religious, political, or financial standing, and shall not care what part of town they are from.

Let's use our best judgement in selecting these men—try to get those who stand for the advancement of Hickman rather than personal interests, if any there be who might de-

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DAY OR NIGHT

Cowgill's Drug Store  
(Incorporated)

sure to attain the latter end.

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Last Thursday W. P. Cullin entertained thirty-two of his town and country friends with a barbecue in honor of Dr. Prather Cullin and Louis Threlkeld. At noon the table in the front lawn was bountifully covered with barbecued mutton and shout, which was enjoyed by all. Refreshments of all kinds were served. Some grand speeches were made, but John Pollock's won the prize. Louis Threlkeld and that jovial, jolly, mischievous D. Wilson were the "ring leaders." The ladies that were present wish to extend their thanks and appreciation to Mr. Wilson for his song entitled, "Hanna How's Your Ma?" which charmed the birds in the cedars. This barbecue will be long remembered by those present. The guests declared that they had spent delightful day.

One of the Number.

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HOME GROWN RICE.

It is a remarkable fact that the soil and climate of New Madrid county produces abundant crops of every kind of grain, fruit and vegetables which have been tried. The latest experiment was made by Jack Mann, who lives two miles south of Glideon, in Anderson township, with rice, and proved so highly successful that a regular crop will be sowed next year, and the prospect is, that grain will become a regular crop, hereafter.

A friend gave Mr. Mann a small quantity, last winter, enough to sow a quarter of an acre, and it has produced 25 bushels. Next season, this will be sowed on 25 acres, and it is confidently believed it will produce 2500 bushels—100 bushels per acre.

The sample shown the Record by Mr. Mann is a larger, better grain than the Stuttgart, Ark., rice.—Now Madrid Record.

If rice can be grown at New Madrid, Fulton county can do the same.

Suppose we give it a trial as an experiment.

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Hot coffee at all hours—Crescent.

## We Startled a Good Many People with our Heater Offer Did You Read It?

We put some statements about heating stoves down in black and white that stove users never heard before. We want to repeat them!

Remember, we are backed up by one of the grandest stove manufacturing concerns in the world—yes, backed by a concern that makes and sells more soft coal heaters each year by three times than any other maker anywhere.

So there are millions of dollars behind what we have to say about heaters this year!

To us alone is given the right to make the most unusual guarantee ever made on a heating stove.

### Cole's Hot Blast Guarantee

Here is our authority from the President of the Cole Manufacturing Co.—the strongest guarantee ever made on a heater.

"You are authorized to sell the Original Cole's Hot Blast Heater this year on the most rigid guarantee ever made by any stove manufacturer. Our guarantee to every customer of yours is—

"1.—A saving of one-third in fuel over any lower draft stove of the same size, with soft coal, slack or lignite.

"2.—That Cole's Hot Blast will use less hard coal for heating a given space than any base burner made with same size fire pot.

"3.—That the rooms can be heated from one to two hours each morning with the soft coal or hard coal put in the stove the evening before.

"4.—That the stove will hold fire with soft coal from Saturday night until Monday morning.

"5.—A uniform heat day and night, with soft coal, hard coal or lignite.

"6.—That every stove will remain absolutely air-tight as long as used.

"7.—That the feed-door is and will remain smoke and dust-proof.

"All we ask is that the stove shall be operated according to directions and set up with a good fire.

"(Signed) COLE MANUFACTURING CO."

"Makers of the Original Patented Hot Blast Stove."

Shows top draft burning the gas half of soft coal.



For Soft Coal,  
Hard Coal,  
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## ROUND THE CAPITAL

Information and Gossip Picked Up Here and There in Washington.

### Roosevelt May Complete Work on Canal



WASHINGTON.—There appeared in the newspapers the other day a story to the effect that when former President Roosevelt returns to this country from his African hunt President Taft will request him to take charge of the Panama canal and complete that gigantic work.

Friends of the former president say it would be no surprise if the report turned out correct. Mr. Roosevelt, as is well known, took the greatest personal interest in the Panama canal and there is no gainsaying the truth that had it not been for the "little opera bouffe revolution" on the Isthmus there would have been no Panama canal, and had it not been for Mr. Roosevelt there would have been no successful "revolution." But that is history now and the work of constructing the canal, according to the reports received here, is progressing nicely.

Just about two years ago, when the country was discussing the question of the renomination of Roosevelt, a certain western senator in conversation said:

"I do not believe there is any foundation for the stories that President Roosevelt will be a candidate to succeed himself. I think he was sincere

### Is Poor Place for Fortune-Hunters



THE national capital is the poorest place in the United States for fortune hunters who seek marriage with rich girls as a means to acquire wealth. It is not that the mothers of Washington have greater intuition than their sisters of less conspicuous cities of the United States. Indeed, the reason is far from the individual or collective abilities of Washington society women.

The glib-tongued foreigner who poses in Washington as a count, princelet, baron or any other of the noble offices soon finds that his game is known. A soft-voiced but determined demand is made on him within a day or two to leave Washington.

If he does not do so, the pseudo-noble soon finds himself in jail or so thoroughly exposed in the immediate circle in which he is trying his wings that he is glad to go elsewhere. In this work the foreign embassies take

when he made his famous statement on the night of election, 1904. Now the question is, what will he do after he leaves the White House?

"While I have not discussed the question with the president, I feel that the one great work for him to do, after leaving the White House, is to complete the construction of the Panama canal. He is just the man to carry this great undertaking to a successful conclusion. It would link his name with this great waterway and preserve it for all time to come."

"President Roosevelt has the energy, the force, the determination and the ability to push the work to a speedy completion. I do not know that the president would undertake this task, if requested, but I am satisfied that his selection and acceptance of the appointment would give general satisfaction."

It would seem that the senator, in view of the recent publication, had a "hunch," as it would strike one as a coincidence that the name of former President Roosevelt should at this time be brought into the limelight as the one man to take charge of the work of building the Panama canal, with which he had so much to do as president of the United States.

It could easily be questioned that but for the midnight successful revolution in Panama the location of a canal would still be up in the air, as it had been for many years. The friends of the former president say it would be a fitting tribute to him that he be asked by President Taft to take hold and complete the work.

### BLEES OF BUGOLOGIST ARE CAUSE OF DAMAGE SUITS

HONEYMAKERS ESCAPE FROM BOX ON TRAIN AND CREATE MUCH CONSTERNATION.

Cedar Grove, N. J.—Prof. Grover Gluck, the celebrated bugologist of this place, is threatened with 42 damage suits by Great Notch, Cedar Grove and Thumb Point commuters who are wont to journey cityward on the Essex Falls Cannon Hall Express, the fastest downhill train on this branch of the Erie.

Exactly 42 commuters who were in the smoking car of the aforesaid express were stung by bees while en route to Jersey City on Friday, the 13th of August. At the time of this wholesale stinging, Prof. Gluck was in



Frank Rue Was the First Passenger Stung.

the smoker and the bees are alleged to have been confined in a small box portmanteau that the professor carried.

Prof. Gluck was on his way to the laboratories of Prof. Hildebrand Wienestrumer, the Rutherford entomologist. Prof. Gluck and Prof. Wienestrumer have been striving for the past year to successfully cross the honey bee of commerce with the lightning bug, the object being to breed a bee that can work in the dark.

Prof. Gluck figures that a bee that can work in the dark will stack up twice as much wax and honey as a bee that only works union hours from dawn till sunset. The Cedar Grove bugologist further believes that if natural safeguards are appended to the digital pedulacrum of the drone the drone will become a worker. Still, furthermore, if bees are equipped with lights it will not longer be necessary to build windows or skylights in hives.

So much for the purpose of Prof. Gluck when he boarded the Essex Falls Cannon Hall Express at Cedar Grove at 7:31 on the morning of Friday, August 13. As he entered the car he sat down beside Frank Rue, the Cedar Grove duckologist. Mr. Rue had a small box of goslings in his lap and was on his way to Great Notch to exchange them for a setting of game parrandas.

Just before the express stopped to take water at the Great Notch tank Prof. Gluck lighted a cigar and puffed out a cloud of smoke. The smoke of that cigar did not ascend as the smoke of other cigars does. It was so heavy and rank that it descended; it descended and colled about Prof. Gluck's bee portmanteau. The bees inhaled it and by a combined effort unlocked the portmanteau and escaped into the smoking car.

Frank Rue was the first passenger stung. He was bending over the seat in front, talking to St. Perkins. A queen bee stung him through the coat, vest and suspenders, and as he slapped his hand to his back he ejaculated profanely.

Before the Essex Falls Cannon Hall Express had stopped at the Great Notch water tank there were 376 bees at large, 211 of which were stingers and the remainder nonstingers, or merely buzzers. The members of the Great Notch traveling bridge whilst club had boarded the train before the bees got loose, as they usually jump on to the rear of the smoker while the train dashes by their home. The casualties among the club members were heavy.

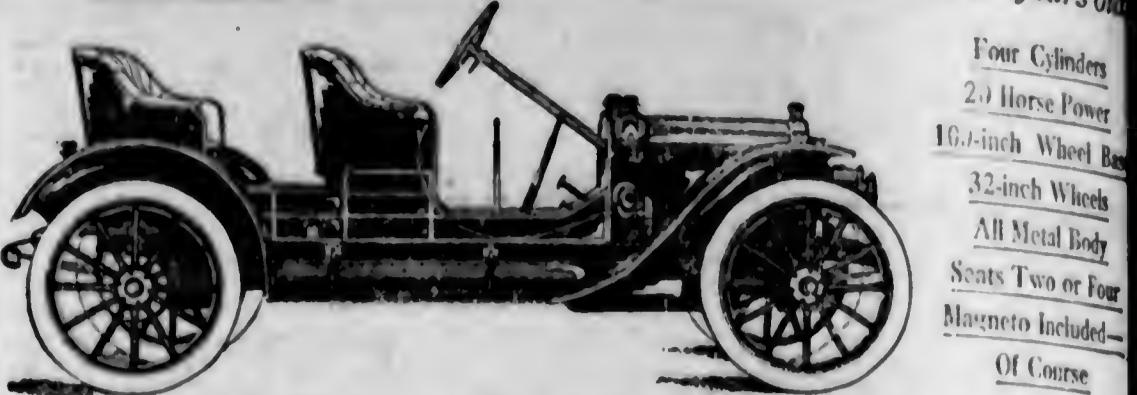
### Crew Stain by Savage Horde.

Ottawa, Ont.—The murder of eleven men by cannibals is announced in a cable from Sydney, New South Wales. It says: "A dreadful tragedy is reported from the New Hebrides. Capt. Lindsay, master of the ketch Rabaul, was first speared and then clubbed to death by a horde of cannibals, the crew, numbering ten, was massacred, and the vessel seized by savages and burned at Matileia, New Hebrides, where cannibalism still exists."

"Some of the crew of the French ketch Guadeloupe were captured by natives and have since been unheard of.

"The natives of German New Britain have rebelled against the government and many fresh outrages are feared."

"Divide with the buyer the saving we effect by our superior method of manufacturing and distributing."—Studebaker Policy 55 years old



## Studebaker-Flanders "20" \$750

### The Greatest Automobile Value the World Has Ever Seen

HERE'S THE ANNOUNCEMENT for which the world of Automobiles has been waiting so anxiously—hoping or dreading according as the individual was a buyer or seller of motor cars.

WE HAD INTENDED KEEPING SILENT about this car for a few weeks yet—until other makers had had their say—until they had all sprung their "sensations."

BUT THE MAGNITUDE OF OUR PREPARATIONS—the purchase of several factories by Studebaker interests as represented by the E-M-F Company of Detroit set trade tongues a-wagging and information as to the car that was to be produced on such a tremendous scale began to leak out.

DEALERS, ANXIOUS TO GET THE WINNING LINE began to inquire as to the Studebaker plans for next year. They were insistent, for, very naturally, they did not want to tie up with any other concern if Studebakers were to have the greatest line that had been reported. No man likes to enlist on the losing side. All like to march with the Victorious.

CUSTOMERS EVERYWHERE WROTE in this vein, "If Studebakers are going to build a runabout I don't want to buy until I have seen it." Thousands of these writers have dealt with this old house for years—some of them never bought a vehicle anywhere else. To them the Studebaker name justly adds to the intrinsic value of any car.

IN VIEW OF THIS ANXIETY on the part of our friends we decided it would be unjust to dealers and prospective buyers to longer withhold information as to this car, which will supplement those other two incomparable models, Studebaker-Garford "40" and Studebaker E-M-F "30."

SO THE CAT IS OUT read the specifications briefly given below. Consider the source of this car's origin. Then compare it with other "Sensations" recently announced—and see if you don't think they were false alarms.

STUDEBAKER-FLANDERS "20" is the name of the new car, and the title was selected because it was believed that that alone would be the strongest guarantee of its quality to any one at all familiar with the history and the personnel of the automobile industry.

STUDEBAKERS STAND SPONSOR for the product—the entire output will be marketed through this organization. That is your guarantee that the car will be of sterling quality throughout—Studebakers could not afford to lend their name and a reputation based on 55 years of upright dealing to any but an honest product.

FLANDERS WILL MANUFACTURE this product. What could we say here that would add to his fame as a manufacturer? His has been the most wonderful record in this wonderful business. It has been a succession of triumphs—a repetition from year to year of feats in production that had theretofore been considered impossible—that other makers now call marvelous. E-M-F "30," which attained such an instantaneous success and now stands the most popular car on the market, was sufficient to establish Flanders for all time.

JAMES HEASLETT DESIGNED the Studebaker-Flanders "20"—an engineer who up to the time he undertook this commission had never set his hand nor his intent to the designing of any but high priced cars. Several of the best known emanated from his brain. He designed the original Studebaker chassis—the one from which have evolved all later models. Heaslett doesn't know how to do cheap work—in the sense that the term is generally used. He simplifies and he knows how to design parts to manufacture to the best advantage—there he is unsurpassed by any.

25,000 S-P "20" WILL BE BUILT IN 1910 We realize that these figures will be almost incredible to persons unfamiliar with the resources of Studebakers and the ability of Flanders. It is a simple statement of fact. That the old "ultra conservative" house of Studebakers and not some young and inexperienced concern stands back of the statement ought to give it a par value. We know it will.

THIS QUANTITY WAS NECESSARY It would be impossible to produce a car of this size and quality at the price if made in smaller quantities. The tremendous "overhead" expense of equipment and distribution would, if saddled onto lesser number of cars, make it necessary to add 25 to 50 per cent. to the price. We cannot build a much better car than others do for the money in lots of 3,000 to 5,000. But by distributing the overhead over 25,000 cars we have been able to set the price at \$750.

COMPARE THIS CAR WITH OTHERS listed at \$100 to \$300 more. Add a magneto to those not so equipped—we believe no automobile is complete without a first class magneto—and you will find that, aside from the difference in price, there is no comparison in value. We didn't intend there should be.

THIS IS A FULL GROWN, MAN'S SIZE magneto equipped, four cylinder car—not a four cylinder toy or a one-cylinder makeshift.

WE HAVE HAD IT IN MIND SEVERAL YEARS under very several months—simply waited until plans could be matured for its proper manufacture and distribution. No concern would dare attempt a task so large as this until proper machinery not only for making but for marketing the product had been perfected and installed. That time has arrived.

THE DEMAND IS ALREADY THERE this we know. It only remained to perfect an organization to properly take care of it and to extend to buyers that uniform courtesy and prompt attention that have made Studebakers famous—and prosperous. Did you ever notice that a Studebaker representative, wherever you find him, breathes the spirit of the whole organization—is a sort of beacon of safety to all

Studebaker patrons? Well, it's a fact. It's the way we stand back of them—treat them as we want their customers treated. They seem to the spirit.

THE BEST BRAINS IN THE INDUSTRY are engaged in the production of the Studebaker-Flanders "20." Plants best suited to its manufacture have been purchased; if we would avoid all chance of delay and disappointment to buyers we must depend on outside concern to furnish the smallest part. Every part must be made in our own factories and under the watchful eye of Flanders.

TO MAKE THE LOW PRICE POSSIBLE it was necessary also that there be no intermediate parts profit. No concern making an assembled car can hope to compete with the car in quality at the price. It was the purchase of several plants—among them the splendidly equipped De Luxe factory at Detroit, a forging plant, a body making plant, and others—that started the rumors and make it necessary to announce our plans a few weeks earlier than intended. It suits us all right—but—

OUT OF CONSIDERATION FOR COMPETITORS we intended to keep silent yet a while. Delays will not begin until January. Besides, we realize that the announcement of such a car at such a price, and by Studebakers, is likely to have the effect of an explosive bomb on the market at this time. We had no desire to precipitate anything, but our hand was forced.

"THIS CAR WILL BE THE SCREAM OF 1910" said the first dealer who was let into the secret, and if dealers can't pick winners who can?

IT WILL BE A REPETITION OF E-M-F "30" HISTORY the greatest sensation—the greatest success from every standpoint ever sprung in this industry up to date.

OF COURSE IT WILL BE DAMNED by rivals. But damning doesn't hurt. No car ever was damned as was the E-M-F "30," now known as Studebaker E-M-F "30." They said we would never be able to make them at the price—so did. Then they said delivery would be delayed—shipping 45 a day now—4,500 in hands of owners. Damning doesn't hurt, for they never damn dead ones.

STUDEBAKERS ARE THE WORLD'S LARGEST makers of motor cars—many times over. Yet we cannot hope to supply the whole demand. And as cars sold under the Studebaker name are always first choice, persons who are unable to get them and must buy some other are easily disappointed—and often sore.

THERE IS CERTAIN TO BE A SHORTAGE of every Studebaker model in 1910. We know that now, but are powerless to avert it. Under the Studebaker name 40,000 cars, gasoline alone, will be made in 1910. That sounds big, but this is a big country and the name stands high over every mile of it.

ONLY 1,000 STUDEBAKER-GARFORDS America's standard high priced car—has been planned for. Of the latest model, not yet publicly announced, nearly 200 are already under order. For several weeks we have been aware that there will be a big shortage of this model, but it is too late to change plans now. The only thing for you, if you want a car of that type—seven passenger, \$4,000, with standard body—is to get your order in now—have a definite delivery date set.

DIVIDE WITH THE BUYER the saving we effect by our superior method of manufacture and selling." That is the keynote to all Studebaker operations—the explanation of our policy of small profits per unit on quantities of cars. No other manufacturer is satisfied with so small a margin. Most of them do not know, within several dollars, what it costs to make an automobile—and they set a wide margin to cover.

YOU HAVE BEEN PAYING FOR WASTEFUL METHODS ever since the inception of this young industry. We have corrected that. This is an industry now—not a game.

STUDEBAKERS WITH ALL THEIR RESOURCES financial and otherwise, would have hesitated to launch a project as big as Studebaker-Flanders "20" under the conditions which until within a few months have prevailed in the automobile industry—or rather Game. The basis on which the business has been conducted was foolish, fictitious and false. It was fair neither to maker nor buyer—most unfair to the dealer. He was always chasing rainbows. Tying up with one wild-cat concern after another, he never handled the same line two years in succession—never knew where, a year afterward, to find any one to stand back of the so-called "guarantees" he had given with the car.

HOW DIFFERENT NOW when you can buy any type of car your needs dictate or your purse can afford and have to bind it the warranty and the name of a concern like Studebakers—fifty-five years old. This like Studebaker-Flanders "20"—completes the line. Here are brief specifications. Read them carefully; then if you desire further information about this or any other Studebaker model write your nearest branch. Whatever you do, get your order in or don't budge in because you can't get a car for next spring's because, when you will wait it badly.

MOTOR—4-cylinder, one on base—valves all on one side, one large 10 horse power al-journal engine, similar to Garford.

CARBURETOR—Float feed, similar to E-M-F "30" carburetor.

COOLING—Water, centrifugal pump, similar to E-M-F.

BRAKE—Studebaker—self-actuated, with an extra cylinder.

MAGNETO—Standard equipment, not an extra. Spur drive, similar to E-M-F, which is used to day and is a complaint.

TRANSMISSION—Selective shifting gear, compare with more expensive transmission planetary gears on other cars of this class and less.

GEAR AXLE—Drawn steel, transmission incorporated in same, similar to E-M-F; single universal joint, enclosed, oil and dust proof.

WHEEL BASE—100 inches—mark that.

WHEELS—Artillery type, 30 inch diameter, large wheel and hub, but guarantee easy riding over rough roads or pavements. Compare with dinky cars that go bobbins and inequalities like bumpy jacks.

FRAME—Precision steel.

SEATS—Precision steel, made in two types: one passenger seat, above, with large deck for trunk or packages, adjustable seats and have a hump in the back.

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SOUTH BEND, IND.

## For the Hostess

Chat on Topics of Many Kinds, by a Recognized Authority

An Autumn Leaf Party. An exceedingly novel party has just been brought to my notice and will be in season now. In the country houses remain much longer than in the city, a hostess for her original ideas, conceived of turning the clearing of her lawn of the autumn leaves into a game.

Over the telephone invitations went to all congenial couples, all good to come the following Saturday, attired in warm clothes, with gloves. Partners were chosen by gloves tied with ribbons, two of a color. Then work began. After a couple had a big pile the hostess had a specimen of each variety brought into the house, and there was an impromptu contest who could name the most varieties.

A plenty luncheon was served and a great bonfire of the leaves were lit after dark.

Afterwards all gathered round the place, told stories, roasted apples, chestnuts and begged to be invited to next year's "leaf party." This year is now this year, and I see several people who are planning just such jolly parties when fall weather lays low the brilliant and yellow leaves. The hostesses made dainty autumn leaf place mats, done in wood brown with gold border. By the way, this same hostess told me she was growing cunning Norway pine trees in six-inch pots for Christmas gifts. Capital idea, if you think.

Early Morning Bird Party. A hostess in a near-by suburb gave a party, which was novel and highly enjoyed by those who participated. A hour was half past five in the morning, and the invitations contained time table with the train marked out those who accepted must take the station they were met by a and conveyed to the house where tea and rolls were served on the porch. Then an hour was spent in walks adjacent to the grounds where the birds congregate for their early matins.

The hostess had a book describing the habits and their notes, which was used as reference. A prize was awarded to the person who knew the names of the most birds, one to a person who discovered the greatest variety and one to the greatest who noted the most nests. An hour was spent in this way and then all returned to the house, where a perfectly delicious breakfast was served, beginning with fruit and ending with waffles and maple syrup.

To Find Partners. At a card party the hostess passed out walnuts which proved to be in boxes containing the initials of many colors. There were two of each color and partners were made by matching the candies in color and then they had them to afterward. There were just seven boxes and all the rainbow tints were presented, the chairs at the tables were tied with a huge bow of tulle of the seven colors. The effect was very pretty and added to the gayety, for every one loves color when to good advantage.

An Apron Shower. Quite the jolliest and most practical party that has come to my notice lately is an apron "shower." A friend the bride-elect planned it all for an afternoon affair; each guest was invited to bring an apron, large or small, fancy or plain, so the result was that there were 24 fine specimens. The hostess first tied out on the honored guest just before the wash dishes were brought in; then by one each guest tied or pinned her offering until the bewildered bride-to-be was literally enveloped from head to foot in aprons. They made taffeta, then cotton and satin were passed.

"The Home." This wonderful bit by the late Edward Everett Hale I want to put in our department, as its sentiment carries out the idea I wish every home.

## Sachet Covering



There is something particularly attractive about the idea of dainty muslin as a covering for glove and handkerchief packets, and we give, in the accompanying sketch, an idea that will be found of value.

## A GREAT ANNOYANCE.

Kidney Disease Shows Many Painful and Unpleasant Symptoms.

George S. Crowell, 1109 Broadway, Helena, Mont., says: "I was troubled with a disordered condition of the kidneys, some backache and irregular passages of secretions. At times I was obliged to get up out of bed at night, and the urine was unnatural in appearance. On the advice of a friend I procured Doan's Kidney Pills and began using them. This remedy helped me at once, strengthened my kidneys and corrected the disordered condition."

Remember the name—Doan's. Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

## NO FRIENDS.



Cashier—You'll have to bring some one to identify you before we can cash this check. Got any friends in the town?

Stranger—Not one. I'm the tax collector.

## HUMOR BURNED AND ITCHED.

Eczema on Hand, Arms, Legs and Face—It Was Something Terrible.

Complete Cure by Cuticura.

"About fifteen or eighteen years ago eczema developed on top of my hand. It burned and itched so much that I was compelled to show it to a doctor. He pronounced it ringworm. After trying his different remedies the disease increased and went up my arm and to my legs and finally on my face. The burning was something terrible. I went to another doctor who had the reputation of being the best in town. He told me it was eczema. His medicine checked the advance of the disease, but no further. I finally concluded to try the Cuticura Remedies and found relief in the first trial. I continued until I was completely cured from the disease, and I have not been troubled since. C. Burkhardt, 236 W. Market St., Chambersburg, Pa., Sept. 19, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Prop., Boston.

Folds and flounces over the shoulders are quite a feature of evening gowns.

Except for an occasional scant flounce, all trimming is put on in lengthwise form.

Figured as well as striped hemstitch are seen in the shops in all the newest colorings.

Shirring over cords and in tiny puffs will be seen more and more in the season advances.

The scarf which matches the gown is becoming one of the familiar features for the light wrap.

The winter promises to be a season of extra long, narrow coats over plain, striped or checkered gowns.

A gay floral trimming frill at the throat transforms the tailored suit into something dainty and feminine.

Black embroidery upon brown is smart when the brown is not too dark to afford a contrast with the black.

Flats of dark material, lined with something lighter in color, are among the dressy types of midsummer wear.

The coarser weaves of tussore, which have the preference just now, look at a distance like a piece of rough canvas.

Sleeveless coats with a color contrasting with the gown under them are in growing favor as the season advances.

Among the popular fabrics are the new two-tone changeable satins, the face being of one color and the back of another.

One of the oddities of the season is the introduction of the metallic and sequin effects among the cottons and linens.

Gloves kid gloves are imperative for full dress, except in very hot weather, and may be worn with almost any costume. Gloves kid is expensive, but it wears and cleans well.

Identified.

Police Sergeant.—Can you give me a description of the person who ran over you?

"Ol' can that. He had on a fur coat an' an automobile cup an' goggles."

Shake into Your Shoes

Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder it makes light, or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, calous and hot, tired, aching feet. Always use it to break in new shoes. Sold by all druggists. Price, 25 cents. Mail order. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Tettaw, New York.

Country husbands are better trained than town husbands. Ever seen a town husband carry a baby on the street?

If Your Eyes Bother You

get a box of PETTIT'S EYE SALVE, old reliable, most successful eye remedy made. All druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y.

Do God's will as he makes it known to-day, and to-morrow will take care of itself.

The shadow of a trouble is often bluer than the trouble itself.

Dr. Pierce's Picinal Polype Regulate and Invigorate Stomach, Liver and Bowels. Sugar-coated tiny granules. Easy to take and candy.

No man can pray right while he lives wrong.

## HER QUESTION.



"Well, Miranda, they've found the north pole at last!"

"Snakes alive, Illram! You don't say! Where did they find it?"

## PAINT FAULTS.

It is a common occurrence nowadays to hear a man remark with disgust: "It is impossible to have good painting done these days; either the paint is not good or there are no good painters." This, however, is not true. There is good paint, and there are good painters. But the question is, bringing them together.

One cannot expect a satisfactory painting job without pure white lead. There is a way to make sure you are getting pure white lead without testing it. See that the key bears National Lead Company's famous Dutch Boy Painter trademark, which is a positive guarantee of purity. However, anyone can test white lead. National Lead Company, 1902 Trinity Bldg., New York City, will send you a lead tester and painter's outfit, consisting of book of color schemes, specifications, etc., upon request.

Changed Farm Life. The dull silence that hung over that New England dinner table has been lifted of late. It is gone like the dew in the sunlight of the new social influences. The isolation of the farm was the chilling cause that drove men into the cities. Now, by telephone and free mail delivery, all the warm world currents are being carried to the country and are vitalizing the rural community into a life that is rich and abundant in the variety of its interests. A real heart hunger has been answered. Over hill and dale dashes the impulse that electrically existence with the thrill of human life touching other human life.—Delineator.

STATE OF OHIO CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney, Esq., says that he is writing partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State above, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) for each and every case of CARDUI that cannot be cured by the use of MALL'S CATECHOL CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY, Esq.,

From to before me and subsworn in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catechol Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Read for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Balsm for constipation.

SNAKE STORY.

"Before he went fishing," said the town story-teller, "he swallowed about a pint an' half of snakebite remedy, an' of course you know what that is? Well, after the snake bit him, the reptile cut all sorts o' capers, kaze the remedy went straight to its head. Finally some of them had the courage to approach the college secretary and ask if the flies might be looked over. And there the handsome professor, anticipating some such investigation had recorded his matrimonial pretensions as follows: 'Married or single?—Yes.'

## They Didn't Have to Change.

During the years in which our pure food laws have been put into effect there has been a great hurrying and scurrying on the part of the food manufacturers to change their methods to make them conform to the law.

The Quaker Oats Company is a conspicuous exception. It was admitted that Quaker Scotch Oats was as pure and clean as possible and that it was an ideal food.

It is so cheap that any one can afford it and so nourishing that everyone needs it. The result of last year's experiments at Yale and other points where food values were tested is that Quaker Scotch Oats has been adopted by many persons as their food on which they rely for adding vigor and endurance of muscle and brain.

This splendid food is packed in the regular size packages and in hermetically sealed tins. The latter especially adapted to hot climates.

Good Roads Mean Money.

The people need to be educated to the fact that money spent for good roads is not money thrown away, whereas money spent for unclean and unclean improvements is worse than thrown away.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

For Colds and Grippe—Capudine.

The best remedy for Grippe and Grippe is Ticks' Capudine. Relieves the aching and feverishness. Cures the cold—Headaches also. U. S. Liquid—Effects immediately—\$2 and \$6 at Drug Stores.

As the rose breatheth sweetness from its own nature, so the heart of a benevolent man produceth good works.—Doddsy.

Hamlin's Wizard Oil is over fifty years old, and, like an old friend, it can be depended upon just as surely as the family doctor who may be miles away.

The spiritualistic medium finds no hidden treasure except in the pockets of the credulous living.

For the cure of many diseases, especially those of the skin, Hamlin's Wizard Oil is the best.

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For the cure of many diseases, especially those of the skin, Hamlin's Wizard

**AYER'S HAIR VIGOR**  
**Does not Color the Hair**  
 Hair falling out? Troubled with dandruff? Want more hair? An elegant dressing?  
 Ingredients: Sulphur, Glycerin, Quinine, Sodium Chloride, Capsicum, Sage, Alcohol, Water, Perfume.  
 We believe doctors endorse this formula, or we would not put it up.  
**AYER'S HAIR VIGOR**  
**Does not Color the Hair**  
 J. C. AYER COMPANY, Lowell, Mass.

## Sprinkling Rates For 1909

The sprinkling rate for the season, beginning May 1st and ending November 1st, 1909, in residence section, is

50 foot front and under . . . \$6  
8c for each additional foot.

Business house rate, each door \$6

This is payable in advance. If you have not paid, please don't sprinkle

**Hickman Ice & Coal Co.**

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## "SANSPARIEL" FLOUR

"CREAM OF THE WHEAT"

Sold by most grocers. Every sack or barrel positively guaranteed or your money back. Nothing equal to it for fine pastry. Take no substitute. A less expensive but good flour is our high grade patent "STAR." Try it! Also corn chops, wheat bran, etc.

C. H. BESHERS, (Successor to Beshers & Jackson)

**MOSE BARKETT, Agent**

## COAL! COAL!

Now is the time to lay in your winter's supply of COAL. Don't wait until the cold wave flag reminds you of your negligence.

**Pittsburg Lump Coal**

**Bon Air Lump Coal**

**Tradewater Lump Coal**

Prices made on Domestic Nut, Blacksmith, Steam and Anthracite Coal, upon application.

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## NOTICE:

Your Water and Light rent is due on the FIRST OF EACH MONTH, and if not paid by the TENTH will be cut off.

This took effect November 1, 1908.

Pay at the Hickman Ice & Coal Co. office at the Ice factory.

Office open from 7 a. m. until 6 p. m. any day except Sunday; and on the 9th and 10th of each month it is open until 9 p. m.

**Hickman Ice & Coal Co., Inc.**  
 A. O. CARUTHERS, Mgr.

## Conier's Home Circle

Deserve your wife's respect and you need not fear the world's opinion.

If you do the best your circumstances will allow you do well—angels could do no more.

A home with love, sunshine and music has only one counterpart—heaven.

There is nothing more beautiful than to see a husband and wife thoughtful for each other's happiness.

Hope is the best medicine in the world, but doctors don't prescribe it because the druggists don't keep it. A man must find it in his own heart or go without it entirely.

No man or woman of the humblest sort can really be strong, gentle and pure and good, without the world being better for it, without somebody being helped and comforted by the very existence of that goodness.

Praise your children for everything they do well.

Praise your wife for everything she does well.

Praise your husband for everything he does well.

Praise your brothers and sisters for everything they do well.

Praise people you employ for everything they do well.

Praise everybody for everything they do to make the world happier or better.

It is all well enough to practice economy in the household, and saving in the kitchen soon tells in the expense column; but the most important saving in any household is the saving of the wife and mother. If no one else sees the necessity of this branch of economy, the wife and mother should make it her business to save herself, no matter what other waste occurs.

**Our Boy.**  
 "Train up a child in the way he should go."  
 "Don't send my boy where your girl can't go."  
 And say, "There's danger for boys, you know,  
 Because they all have their wild oats to sow.  
 There is no more excuse for my boy to be low  
 Than your girl. Then please don't tell him so.  
 Don't send my boy where your girl can't go;  
 For a boy or girl, sin is sin, you know.  
 And my baby boy's hands are as clear and as white,  
 And his heart as pure as your girl tonight."

Solomon did not set up one standard for the girls, and another for the boys; he says—"train up a child." One child in the dear home nest is as lovely to us as another, and yet there are but few homes where the boys are as tenderly shielded as the girls. We are not quite as careful to watch their daily formation of habits and their conversation as we are that of the "girlyies." They are more exuberant in spirit, and we send them out of the house for the sake of quiet—after that the girls may practice their music. And while the latter are busy with study and the beautiful sentiment of song, the boys likely get into mischief and receive reprimand and punishment from the head of the house. Or worse still, fall in with a crowd of young fishermen and wander with them along the creek hearing much they ought not to hear.

So we see while the girls have been gaining in things good and beautiful, the boys have been losing. When shall we begin training? Begin while baby is in the cradle. The very way they handle their toys can be made object lessons of gentleness and quiet behavior.

We all need help and encouragement at times, and to whom shall we turn in time of need if not to our own those who have the same blood in their veins, and who have been brought up at the same fireside? Unfortunately many men and women have found strangers more ready to help them than their own kinsmen, but that does not alter the ideal relationship, nor is it an excuse for any of us to treat our own unkindly. We should be loyal, and the sooner we learn to say as little Ned, "I have to love all my kin," the better will the world become. The world is but a large home, and the child who learns the gospel of love and loyalty at his mother's knee, and practices it among

## Pain

Nearly all women suffer some pain at times, due to the ailments peculiar to their sex. If your trouble is yet in a mild form, take Cardui to prevent it becoming more serious. If you have suffered long years, get Cardui at once. Use persistently and it will help you.

## Take CARDUI

Mrs. L. Ella, of New Hartford, Ia., was afflicted for 24 years. She writes: "For the past 24 years I have been afflicted with womb trouble, causing extreme nervousness, pain in right side and back—altogether making life a burden. I tried doctors and various other remedies without relief. Finally I began using Wine of Cardui. Now I am entirely cured. I cheerfully advise all women similarly afflicted to try Cardui." Sold everywhere.

his brothers and sisters, will carry him to the life of the world a spirit of helpfulness that will go far toward destroying selfishness and sin.

**Poverty.**  
 "Give me neither poverty nor riches" is a reasonable prayer. Poverty is a great curse, despite all the fine sentiments we hear about it from people in warm houses, who are well fed and have good clothes on their backs. It embitters manhood; it saturates woman's heart with gall. It begets envy and fretfulness with one's lot; it makes men roll their eyes and utter hard speeches on the good of others, only because it is not their own. It furrows the face of beauty with "crow's feet," or the unsoftened lines of care. It makes its victims hard hearted, hard faced and quarrelsome in speech and conduct. It robs the heart of all refining influences by taking away all means of culture. It puts intellectual taste on the treadmill in quest of bread. "It maketh even a little child with heavy sighs complain." It chains a man's nobility to his stomach, which goads him to desperation by its unpeased cravings.

Yes, poverty will toughen the fibers of endurance and bring a kind of grim patience. It will make our wills more determined and enterprising, but it takes great grace to get out of it anything amiable, tender, loving and happy. The soul is not tortured into goodness.

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Tinware and stove fixtures at Bettsworth & Prather.

## HER PHYSICIAN ADVISED

Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Columbus, Ohio.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound during change of life. My doctor told me it was good, and since taking it I feel so much better that I can do all my work again. I think Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fine remedy for all woman's troubles, and I never forget to tell my friends what it has done for me."—Mrs. E. HANSON, 303 East Long St., Columbus, Ohio.

**Another Woman Helped.**  
 Granville, Vt.—"I was passing through the Change of Life and suffered from nervousness and other annoying symptoms. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored my health and strength, and proved worth mountains of gold to me. For the sake of other suffering women I am willing you should publish my letter."—Mrs. CHARLES BARCLAY, R.F.D., Granville, Vt.

Women who are passing through this critical period or who are suffering from any of those distressing fits peculiar to their sex should not lose sight of the fact that for thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which is made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills. In almost every community you will find women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

## SENTENCE SERMONS.

They are loyal to truth who live it.

The only smile that helps rises in the heart.

The gushing preacher often leaves a desert.

Success is an unreliable evidence of righteousness.

He who makes no friends has his greatest foe in himself.

The rough places are never smoothed by soft soap.

You cannot tell much about the goal of a life by its speed.

He can never be a power with men who can feel no pity for men.

It does not take much millinery to abut heaven from our eyes.

A man's morality always depends on the meaning he sees in life.

It is mighty hard to be patient with the sins we promote in others.

He who has no heroes is fundamentally deficient in reverence.

Nothing ruins the moral digestion quicker than sly conversation.

If you would know the giving of happiness try the happiness of giving.

The happiness of a home depends not on what is in it, but on what is in us—Chicago Tribune.

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NO REASON FOR IT.

When Hickman Citizens Show the Certain Way Out.

There can be no just reason why any reader of this will continue to suffer the tortures of an aching back, the annoyance of urinary disorders, the dangers of diabetes of any kidney ill when relief is so near at hand and the most positive proof given that they can be cured. Read what a Hickman citizen says:

J. R. Weatherly, Third and Ivy Sts., Hickman, Ky., says: "For some time I was afflicted with most annoying attack of kidney complaint. The kidney secretions were far too frequent in passing and I had to get up some nights as often as seven times. In the morning on arising I felt tired and little like doing the day's work. I tried any number of remedies and doctored but to no avail. Finally Doan's Kidney Pills came to my notice and getting a supply at Helm & Ellison's drug store, I began using them. Three boxes restored my kidneys to a normal condition and improved my general health."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents.

Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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**Invertebrate Fee of the Weed.**  
 Swinburne detected the practice of smoking. It is said that one day at the Arts club, after going from room to room in the vain hope of finding a clear atmosphere to write in, he exclaimed: "James I was a knave, a tyrant, a fool, a liar, a coward. But I love him, I worship him, because he slit the throat of that blackguard, Raleigh, who invented this filthy smokin'."

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**DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED.**

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; in nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circumstances, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
 Sold by druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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Why wait till your friend dies and then plant flowers on his place of rest while he sleeps on unconscious of your act? Why not plant flowers along his pathway in life? He needs them now, more, possibly, than you think—he will not need them then.

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 Ice Coupon Books charged to account will be at the face value. No discount allowed only for cash.

Hickman Ice & Coal Co.

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Third Magistrate, H. L. LEET

A. H. LEET

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GOALIER JOHNSON

Circuit Court Clerk:

J. W. MORRIS

For Jailer:

J. NICHON

## School Superintendent:

MISS DORA SMITH

County Assessor:

CHAS. BEADLES

County Judge:

W. A. NAYLOR

County Attorney:

JAS. W. RENY

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